



FROM "CONNY AND UNCLE DICK" to the dissection of a frog is quite a span of education... a span of 12 years bridging the gap between the initial struggles with the spelling of c-a-t to the intensive study of epi- and endo-dermis. Parents of Penticton school children will have the opportunity on Monday to witness the range of learning depicted above by the camera of the photographer. On the left above are Grade I students of Miss Ann Grant endeavoring to master the difficulties in reading. Richard Howell, seated,



thinks things over with Pat Stapleton and Frances Gladwin, who don't appear to be having too much trouble. The centre photo shows two members of the vocational agriculture course, a recent addition to the curriculum of Penticton High School and an example of the practical trend in modern educational methods, cultivating lush vines in the school's own hothouse. They are, left to right, Barry Pollard and Fred Cooper. Their instructor, James Campbell, discusses the progress of a carnation plant with H. D. Pritchard, extreme



right, high school principal. The cut on the extreme right illustrates the laboratory techniques of three potential nurses now studying Biology 91 presented for Grade XII students by W. O. Marshall. After carving up a frog—with no apparent squeamishness—Joan Smith, Joan Bindig (centre) and Marian Ruleck (right) portray their anatomical findings in notebooks. The girls demonstrated plenty of ability with their surgical instruments, then transferred parts of the frog's anatomy to the microscope.

Rain and Sunshine		
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February 22	5.1	5.1
February 23	6.5	6.5
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February 27	7.0	7.0
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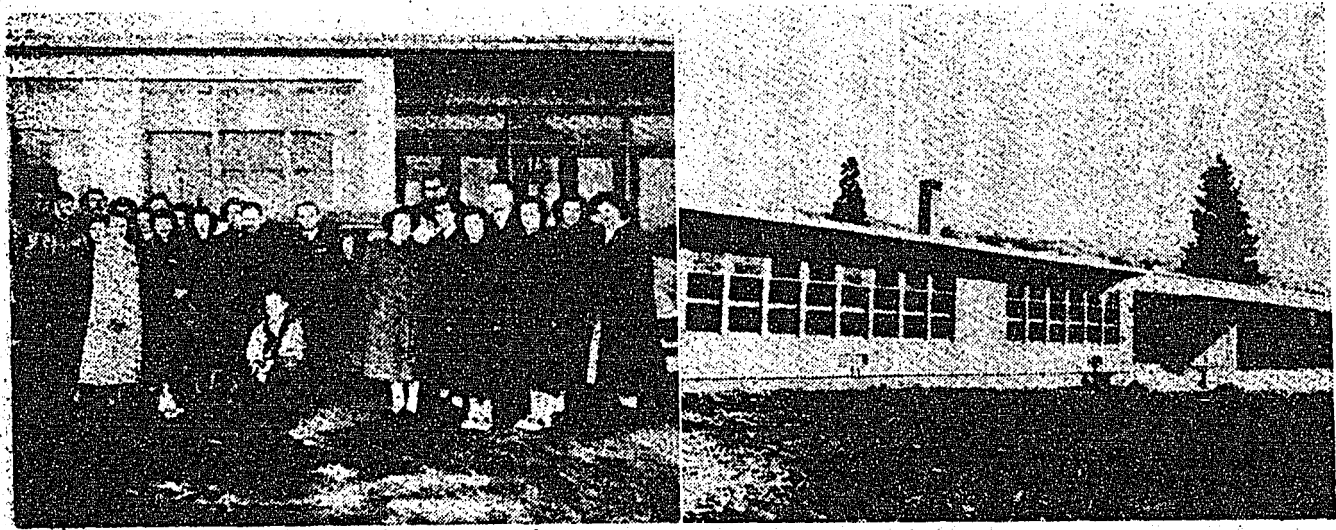
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Temperature		
	Max.	Min.
February 22	39.7	25.8
February 23	36.2	20.0
February 24	40.0	21.5
February 25	38.0	20.6
February 26	39.6	17.8
February 27	36.8	17.5
February 28	38.0	17.5

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AUTOMOBILE EXPERTS — Here are students of the driving course sponsored annually at the Penticton High School. They have successfully completed road tests conducted by Desmond Vosper of MacKenzie's Driving School, Vancouver, shown head-and-shoulders above the girls at right. Beside him is Roy Roberts, government testing officer from Kelowna. Also pictured are principal H. D. Pritchard (in overcoat) and teacher Kenneth MacKenzie, loan instructor of the course.

THE NEW CARMEL ROAD Elementary School — Depicted above is the southwest corner of the \$135,000, 14-room edifice which will become next Monday the home of eight of 30 classes now taught in the overcrowded elementary school on Main street. The new school, one of the most up-to-date in the province, boasts the latest in lighting, acoustics and design and features a combined auditorium-cafeteria-assembly hall. Two of its classrooms are specially constructed for the instruction of Grade I pupils.

Open House At City Schools On Monday

In what are still fondly referred to as "the good old days", Mother placed a few sandwiches wrapped in brown paper in Junior's little hand, patted his head and rushed him off to a one-room, "backwoods" school. That's not exactly the way it's done now; progress in educational methods and increased population in Canada have produced marked changes. Now Junior packs a metal lunch-pail—or plans to eat in a modern cafeteria in an ultra-modern school—and rides to school in sturdy buses. Parents in Penticton and district will have an opportunity during Education Week, which begins next Monday, to compare for themselves the marked contrast between the era when they sweated through "the three R's" and the current age of visual education and intelligence quotients.

They'll be amazed.

NEW SCHOOL — They'll see an edifice on Carmel Road — The Carmel Elementary School—which looks as though it was something right out of "The Fountainhead". A real piece of architectural beauty, it is an L-shaped structure which boasts eight of the most stylish classrooms to be found anywhere in the province of British Columbia.

Two of them are specially constructed for Grade I pupils, rookies to the rigors of education... and the remainder are enough to make Mr. and Mrs. Penticton wish they had been born a few years later.

Some of their outstanding features: plenty of space and ventilation guaranteed by 30" by 24" planning; fluorescent lighting and an almost unbroken stretch of window in each room; walls of Donnancoak tack-board; blackboards of "stainoplate green"; ceilings combining plaster and tile panel specially designed to render the best acoustics.

TOPS IN DESIGNING — But the tops in designing is the cloakroom in each room: it is located on the side of the classroom, protected by a drape of plastic material which closes on steel runners. It makes one wonder where the disciplinary teacher forced to administer "the strap" will find a suitable place to render the operation. The cloakroom can't be used. And the only alternative is the washroom... which is situated in each classroom.

Also provided are six offices for teachers, for the principal and vice-principal and for medical officers. And one spacious room is a combination of auditorium, cafeteria and (Cont. on Page 5, 1st Sec.)

City Council Rejects School Estimates; Asks \$30,000 Cut

POSTAL CLERK JAILED FOR MAIL THEFT

Tampering with His Majesty's Mail is a serious offence. Albin Johnson, 33, of Penticton, a post-office employee, learned this Friday when he was sentenced to one year in jail for theft of a letter containing the sum of one dollar.

Minimum sentence was imposed by Magistrate G. A. McLellan, for what he termed a "very serious crime", following a strong plea for "justice, tempered with mercy" by defence counsel.

Accused, who pleaded guilty, was trapped by test letters placed in the mails by a post office inspector.

The inspector, testified in police court that four test letters were placed in the local office at 6 p.m. Thursday. Checks showed the letters still in place and intact at 5:30 a.m., Friday, after the night shift had finished work.

Another check was made at 7:30 a.m., shortly after the accused started work. The letters were then missing.

At the request of the inspector, Johnson emptied his pockets and the money and the four opened envelopes were found.

Johnson admitted the theft and was taken into custody.

In pleading for leniency, A. D. C. Washington stated that the accused had an excellent work record, spending four out of his five years in the army overseas. Mr. Washington told the court that his client had worked for the post office since 1947 and had a good record.

Passing sentence, the magistrate declared, "you are a young man and I shall take into consideration the prosecutor's suggestion that the minimum sentence will be adequate. I hope this case will serve as a deterrent to others."

Sentence Suspended In Retaining Stolen Property Case Here

Sentence was suspended for one year in the case of Martin Fujita, of Penticton, convicted of retaining stolen property, when he appeared before His Honor, Judge M. M. Colquhoun in County Court last week.

The accused was ordered to post a \$500 bond on two sureties of \$250 each.

Fujita admitted retaining the property but he declared that he did not know it was stolen. The articles consisted of equipment from a truck which crashed down the bank on Kruger's Hill earlier this year.

Wilson Hunt, A. S. Hatfield and Gordon M. DeLaney appeared as character witnesses for the defendant. They testified that he had worked for them and had been found to be honest and of good character.

In his defence Fujita stated that he found the equipment by the roadside and took it home.

A general meeting of the Naramata Cricket Club will be held at the home of A. G. Stanforth, on the Naramata road, Friday, March 2.

Kelowna Council Not Involved In Current Police Troubles

The Kelowna City Council is in no way responsible for the suspension of five RCMP constables in Kelowna this week.

This was the statement of Mayor W. B. Hughes-Games of Kelowna, who told The Herald this morning that the matter is confined strictly to the police officials.

His comment follows an announcement earlier this week that members of Kelowna's RCMP detachment were "temporarily relieved of their duties" pending an investigation of certain misconducts.

Though RCMP leaders in Kelowna have refused to discuss the reports, it is understood from well-informed sources that charges will be laid against the five police officers after an investigation by Inspector J. H. McClinch of the Kamloops division.

It is reported that four of the men under suspension are former members of the B.C. Police and the fifth is a new recruit to the force. Inspector McClinch, who is being assisted during the probe by Corporal Tom Quigley, NCO in charge of the Kelowna detachment, refused to identify them, adding that information would have to be released by RCMP provincial headquarters in Victoria.

Replacements from the Kamloops division are Constables A. Williams, Kamloops; D. H. Morrice of Vernon and L. S. Smith, O. Dugal and M. S. Figley, all of Vancouver.

Canvassers Ready For Whirlwind Red Cross Drive

A two-day "blitzkrieg" will be directed at Penticton by the local branch of the Red Cross Society.

Tomorrow and Monday, an army of 250 canvassers will knock on every door in an effort to raise \$7,500, the city's share—calculated on a population basis—of the \$5,000,000 aimed for in the national drive.

The sum represents an average of \$250 from each of the 3200 homes in this city.

Starting tomorrow, the canvassers will work in two shifts. The ladies will make the day calls and the men will conduct the canvass during the evening.

Mayor W. A. Rathbun joined in the appeal in a radio address last night. A text of his speech will be found elsewhere in this section.

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Gavel Club will continue the series of brief talks on the activities of the Red Cross. The final report will be heard Monday evening.

The contributions will help to provide blood plasma for the armed forces as well as civilian use. Disaster relief services that go into action in case of fire or flood will also benefit from the funds.

J. J. Van Winkelaar, chairman of the campaign committee, is asking householders to co-operate with the canvassers. "It will be of great assistance to us if persons who are missed by the canvassers during the day, will leave porch lights burning so that the evening collectors will have some indication as to where they should call," he said.

In recent addresses to local associations, Mr. Van Winkelaar has stressed the importance of this drive. It was disclosed in addresses to Rotarians, Gyros and Kiwanians that Penticton collected only 80 percent of its quota last year.

"Measured by Penticton's contributions, the Red Cross would only be able to operate on an 80 percent basis—this would mean that only four persons out of five could be saved," he emphasized.

School Board of District No. 15 will meet Monday to re-examine school estimates for 1951 and if possible reduce the city's share by \$30,000 as requested by City Council.

Last Monday, council rejected the \$252,211 school bill as "excessive".

Dr. T. F. Parmley, chairman of the school board, informed The Herald today that, in view of council's request, the trustees would re-consider the estimates in their entirety in an effort to meet council's wishes. "We hope to avoid going to arbitration," Dr. Parmley said.

Apart from asking the \$30,000 reduction, council also rejected outright the Board's request for a levy of one mill, amounting to \$11,275, for school building purposes.

In addition, council will seek through a resolution which is to be submitted for approval to the Okanagan Valley Municipal Association, clarification of the extent of its and the school board's authority under the Department of Education.

Mayor W. A. Rathbun explained council's rejection of the estimates in terms of statistics.

"In 1941, total school costs for this district amounted to \$96,510. In 1951, the board is asking for \$443,700. This is an increase of 359 percent," he said.

The mayor went on to point out that, in 1941, there was a school population of 1207. Today it stands at 2123, an increase of 75.8 percent as against the "tremendous" increase in costs.

Assessed value in lands and improvements in 1941 stood at \$5,810,525. Today it is \$15,499,812, up 167 percent.

"It is reasonable to assume that the increase in assessed value of lands and improvements will continue at this steady pace in contrast to the rapid increase in school costs."

"Couple this drain on civic revenue with the ever-increasing costs of social welfare and it can readily be seen that it will only be a matter of time before cost of these two departments will exhaust all of our revenue from lands and improvements taxes. Then what is the city going to do?" the Mayor concluded.

Council, in an effort to determine where the real authority lies in controlling school expenditures, has asked the following questions of the Minister of Education:

What authority (if any) have school boards with regard to the personnel they employ?

What authority, if any, have the school inspectors appointed by this Department over the personnel employed by School Boards?

What authority, if any, have the school trustees in regard to any of their employer-employee relationships?

What authority, if any, have the school inspectors appointed by his department (or any provincial government department) over the extent, scope and standards of the facilities, equipment and buildings provided by boards of school trustees?

It was further resolved that appropriate amendments be introduced to existing legislation to make mandatory upon boards of trustees to submit their annual estimates in two sections:

Expenditures obligatory upon boards of school trustees by legislation.

Expenditures optional to the boards of school trustees.

The lacking authority would exercise some measure of control over this section.

In conclusion, council has asked that the provincial government compose a public and detailed statement as to what extent a board of school trustees is controlled, or otherwise, in the exercise of its judgment in regard to the extent, type, cost or any other major factor which might enter into the construction of new schools, the alteration or addition to, or renovation of existing schools.

Loans Act Will Aid Fruit Growers

BCFA officials are still awaiting word from the Hon. J. G. Gardiner, minister of agriculture, as to the terms and extent, if any, of Dominion aid to growers whose orchards suffered as a result of frost damage in the winter of 1949-50.

An Ottawa news despatch, however, indicates some action in the near future. Tuesday, parliament gave second reading to a bill which extends the life of the Farm Loans Improvement Act which has been revised to permit loans being made under the act to fruit growers, formerly excluded from its benefits.

It was also indicated the Cabinet will give consideration to an outright grant of some \$200,000 to Okanagan Valley growers. This it is said will be conditional upon the provincial government matching dollar for dollar.

In describing how the Farm Loans Act had been broadened to allow further farm loans, James Sinclair, MP, parliamentary assistant to the finance minister, who piloted the bill in the house, explained that "orchard men are also now covered by the act."

David Fulton (P.C., Kamloops) later queried whether British Columbia fruit farmers would benefit. Mr. Sinclair replied that the hard-hit Okanagan farmers could benefit from this. But it would depend, as always, under the act, upon the judgment of the banks of the farmers' ability to meet semi-annual or annual payments.

Assistance to Okanagan fruit growers has been a concern of Ottawa for the past few months. This amendment and extension of the Farm Loans Act is only one phase of it.

Another phase is that Ottawa may eventually extend about \$200,000 in an outright grant to certain of the most severely affected fruit farmers.

But this would be only on condition that the British Columbia government would also donate \$200,000.

Whether or not this assistance on the basis of a "national emergency" will be granted is up for decision by cabinet soon.

Eagles' Lodge Organized Here

Another fraternal organization has been added to the already lengthy list of community groups in Penticton.

The new name is the Fraternal Order of Eagles, which came into local existence when the Penticton aerio was installed at a gala inaugural held at the Incola Hotel Monday night. The aerio boasts 74 charter members and a total membership of 87.

Substituting for Mayor W. A. Rathbun, Alderman Wilson Hunt congratulated the lodge on behalf of other lodges. The idea which finally reached fulfillment at the grand installation ceremonies was conceived by Brother P. Weaver of the Eagles' aerio in Nelson, who assisted in the task of organization.

Master of ceremonies at the banquet was charter member L. B. Fulk, of Penticton. Guest speakers were Brother Weaver, who congratulated the local Eagles for the Nelson aerio and toasted the grand aerio, and Brother Eugene H. Moore, representing the grand aerio.

Also introduced to the meeting was a delegation of Eagles from Wenatchee, Washington.

A musical program featured a bag-pipe solo by D. Davley, accordion selections by P. Pugsley and a piano solo by Miss Barbara Gordon. Then the new Eagles enjoyed themselves at a dance which got underway at 9 p.m.

Work On Prince Charles Hotel Started Wednesday

Bull-dozers bit into the soil for the first time yesterday at the future site of the \$350,000 Prince Charles Hotel.

"We're on the way now," said W. A. Loughheed, co-owner of the future structure which will add one of the Interior's finest hotels to Penticton.

He announced that contractors so far retained are A. L. Ramago, Vancouver, general construction; Clare Doyle, plumbing and heating; and Ira Belts, of Belts Electric, electrical.

Dr. R. C. Palmer To Address Gardeners

The Penticton and District Horticultural Society will meet tonight in the Anglican hall at 7:30. Dr. R. C. Palmer of the Summerland Experimental Station will address the group and slides will be shown.

Application of Crescent Shows to hold their annual carnival in Penticton for one week, starting May 26, was approved by Council, last week.

Plans For Junior Hospital Auxiliary's Spring Fashion Show Now Being Finalized

As the date approaches for the Spring Fashion Show to be presented March 10 by the Junior Hospital Auxiliary, preparations gain added importance.

At a meeting held early this week committee heads under the general supervision of Mrs. W. F. Gattrell reported satisfactory progress with all details pertaining to the show.

Dressing room attendants have been appointed to assist the models with changes in their many costumes between appearances.

Among the many models under the direction of Mrs. R. V. White and Mrs. G. Smith are small girls, teen-agers, misses, young matrons and others.

Mrs. C. Doyle is providing the music for the fashion display.

Mrs. A. E. Wells, chairman of entertainment, spoke of the feature program during the evening affair.

Members of the teaching staff of the Penticton schools and local busi-

ness men are to present "sparkling entertainment," reported Mrs. Wells. A group of young children will be featured on both afternoon and evening performances.

The raffle ticket sale, under the supervision of Mrs. T. Walker, has been excellent, it was reported.

Novel, clever and beautiful decorations are being prepared for the stage and hall by Mrs. N. Giddy and her committee.

Many beautiful spring costumes from the Hudson's Bay are being sorted and fitted to the models who will appear in the style display.

Tickets for the Fashion Show can be obtained from the Junior Auxiliary Hospital members or from the Neve-Newton Pharmacy Ltd.

Mrs. T. H. Osborne Lenten Tea Hostess

The second in a series of Lenten Teas sponsored by the Evening Women's Auxiliary to St. Saviour's Anglican Church was held February 21, at the home of Mrs. T. H. Osborne.

Assisting Mrs. Osborne as hostesses were Mrs. L. Revitt, Mrs. L. R. Bartlett, Mrs. T. W. Bryant and Mrs. J. Sampson.

Mrs. J. D. Southworth presided at the tea table, beautifully decorated with daffodils and narcissi. Tea was served to nearly thirty guests of the auxiliary members.

The Women's Page

SOCIAL EDITOR

MRS. HAROLD MITCHELL

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Rebekahs Plan Rummage Sale

Members of Redland Rebekah Lodge pledged their support to the P-TA playground project in Penticton, at the regular meeting held in the IOOF Hall last week.

A dresser and now a chair have been donated to the Penticton Hospital as part of the plan by the Rebekahs to replace all the old furnishings in their work at the hospital.

A donation was made at the meeting to the Rebekah Assembly of British Columbia for their bursary which includes a scholarship to each of six districts in the province.

Plans were discussed for a rummage sale in the lower IOOF Hall, March 17, and Mrs. P. Gregory was appointed convener of this annual affair by the Redland Rebekahs.

When Mr. and Mrs. George Angell, Poplar Grove, motored to the coast today to spend the week-end in Vancouver, they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reading and Susan.

Mrs. A. D. McCune was hostess Tuesday evening at the regular monthly meeting of the Past Matrons' Club, Order of the Eastern Star. The next meeting, March 20, will be at the home of Mrs. J. Crawford, Westminster avenue.

City Girl Guides, Brownies Host To Mothers At Supper

Nearly two hundred were present when the Penticton Girl Guides and Brownies entertained their mothers at a bean supper last Thursday, in the school cafeteria. The former Divisional Commissioner, Mrs. F. V. Harrison, who still has a keen interest in all the Guides and Brownies, was a guest.

A. Titchmarsh was presented with a potted plant by Guide Pam Haytree, on behalf of the association and the Guides and Brownies, in appreciation of the work she has done to further the movement, both here and in the surrounding district and for all the work she has done to secure a camp.

It was only through her organization and supervision that so many Guides could enjoy their week of Guide Camp; that the Patrol Leaders could attend a camp with instructors present from the coast; and that the Guides from surrounding districts could avail themselves of instructors from Vancouver at the Guides' Camp, which was inaugurated for the first time this year.

Mrs. M. Kovich was chosen as "Mother of the Year" and was presented with a corsage by Brownie Carol Ekhart. The Guides reviewed with pleasure, all the fun they had in camp and the part Mrs. Kovich played, as camp mother, to make their stay a happy one.

During the evening, Mrs. Titchmarsh spoke a few words about "Thinking Week" and by popular

request delighted the assembled guests by singing "Danny Boy", which was the favorite among the Guides at camp.

Four basketball players, Dennis Jeffery, Ron Young, Daryl Eshleman and Eric Boutbee, who were also former Boy Scouts, entertained the audience with two quartet numbers and were applauded for an encore.

Members from each Brownie and Guide unit delighted the gathering with their performance of the "Minstrel Show", under the direction of Mrs. Syd. Jeffery and Mrs. Leighton Travis, with Mrs. A. Prentiss as accompanist.

The Flying Up ceremony took place under the supervision of Brown Owl, Mrs. C. C. Teeple, when Verna Spauld flew up from Brownies into Guides.

Mrs. Syd. Jeffery convoked the bean supper, assisted by Mrs. Leighton Travis and members of the association. Mrs. Jeffery wishes to thank all the mothers and friends who assisted to make the bean supper a pleasant event.

Following the Scouts and Guides "own" service held on Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Leighton Travis entertained at tea for the Guides and the new executive of the Penticton Girl Guide Association, Mrs. D. Southworth and Mrs. A. Prentiss assisted the hostess.

Mrs. J. Connell Cooper presided at the tea table.



FABRIC NEWS — A smoothly sophisticated dress of sheer fabric cut on slender lines and trimmed with rhinestone buttons.

Appeal By Hospital Auxiliary For Woollens

Mr. J. T. Young, chairman of the Penticton Hospital Board, was welcomed as a guest by Mrs. H. P. Barr, president of the Senior Hospital Auxiliary, when the group held its regular monthly meeting, February 13, in the Red Cross Centre.

A letter of appreciation was read from Mr. E. F. MacDonald, hospital administrator, for help and support received by the hospital from the auxiliary members.

Mrs. J. Rodell reported 57 articles made by the Senior Auxiliary during February.

An appeal was made at the meeting by Miss M. Walker, R.N., for old woollen materials such as blankets or woollen underwear, to be used for fomentations at the hospital.

Committees were appointed and plans outlined for the St. Patrick's Tea and sale of home cooking to be held in the Legion Hall, March 17, by the Senior Auxiliary.

Film "Highway To Hawaii" Shown At Naramata, Hedley

Mrs. Hettie Kingsley travelled to Hedley and to Naramata this week and through the co-operation of the National Film Board showed the film, "Highway To Hawaii."

This picture sponsored by the United Air-Lines won the award for the best non-commercial picture of the year.

Mrs. W.S. Reeder Re-Elected Red Cross Regional Director

For the fifth consecutive year honors have come to the city from the Canadian Red Cross by way of Penticton's Good Citizen of 1950, Mrs. W. S. Reeder.

Last Friday at the Provincial Conference of the Red Cross in Vancouver, Mrs. Reeder was re-elected as representative from the Okanagan Valley to the Provincial Executive of the Canadian Red Cross.

Serving a number of years as chairman of the Penticton Red Cross Workroom, and acting as committee head for many other Red Cross activities, Mrs. Reeder, at one time, took over the chairmanship of the workroom and also headed the local Branch.

Mrs. Reeder, who is president of the Penticton Branch at present, returned from Vancouver yesterday from attending the annual Red Cross conference there.

Oddfellows, Rebekahs Enjoy Dinner Meeting

The Oddfellow and Rebekah Lodges entertained members at a "Pot Luck" dinner Monday evening in the IOOF Hall.

Mr. Edgar Dewdney was master of ceremonies at the entertainment which followed the enjoyable dinner.

"Bill Billy and His Girl" played by Mr. and Mrs. Sayers of Summerland, was an enjoyable highlight of the entertainment.

A social evening will be held each month for the members and friends of the Oddfellows and Rebekahs.

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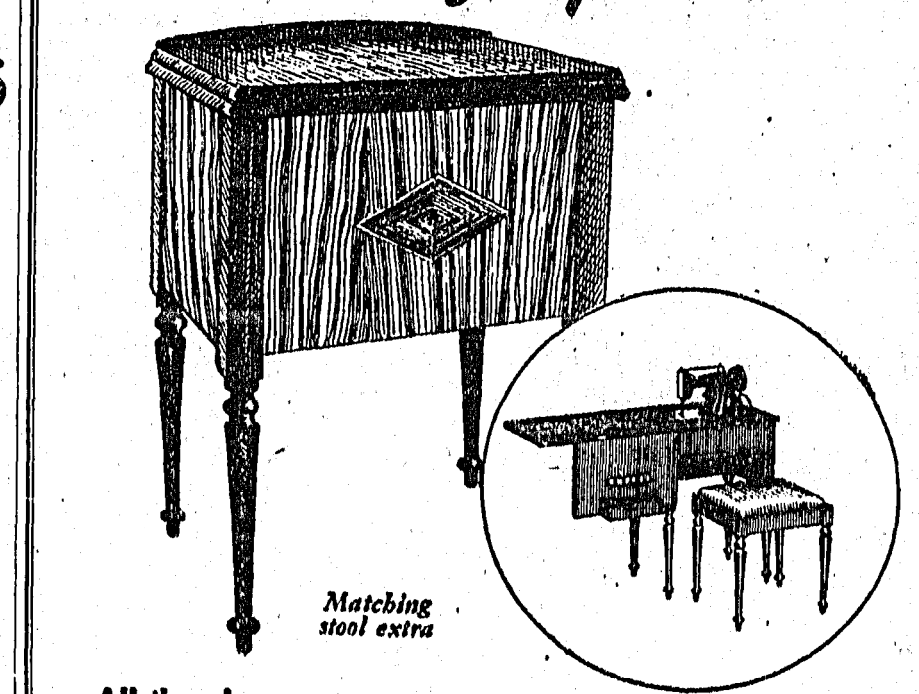
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Mr. R. Maze, of Calgary, a business visitor in the city this week is a guest at the Three Gables Hotel.

Mrs. Flora Jordan, Alexander avenue, arrived home Tuesday following a brief visit to Vancouver.

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LEGALS

LAND REGISTRY ACT
(Section 161)

IN THE MATTER OF District Lot Three thousand seven hundred and fifty (3750), Osoyoos Division Yale District.

PROOF having been filed in my Office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 35491F to the above mentioned lands in the name of Cecil de Grey Murray and bearing date the 7th day of August, 1923.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE OF my intention at the expiration of one calendar month to issue to the said Cecil de Grey Murray, a Provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate. Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

DATED at the Land Registry Office, Kamloops, British Columbia, this 15th day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one.

C. F. McLEAN
Registrar.
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NOTICE

Application for Increase in Cartage Rates

An application to increase rates named in Competitive, Local and Joint Freight Tariff No. 1-A, covering the transportation of general freight, items 10-A, 60-A, and 65-B, re-shipment and loose fruit and vegetables, items 15-B, 70-A, 72, has been filed with the Motor Carrier Branch of the Public Utilities Commission, on behalf of the carriers of the Okanagan Valley who subscribe to the above named Tariff.

A copy of the proposed rates may be examined on or after March 1st, 1951, at:

The office of any Licensed Carrier in the Okanagan Valley.

The Motor Carrier Branch of the Public Utilities Commission, Vancouver.

The Motor Carrier Branch of the Public Utilities Commission, Kelowna.

The Secretary of the Kelowna and District Transport Association, Kelowna.

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Curling Rink Is
Officially Opened

PEACHLAND—Dignitaries representing well-wishing Okanagan centres gathered in Peachland to congratulate this thriving community in its new curling rink which was officially opened by Reeve Fred Topham, Jr. on Friday afternoon.

The structure, boasting a freezing plant providing ice for two regulation size surfaces, was financed and built by 84 members of the Peachland Curling Club. Work began last August, was completed on New Year's Day.

Although members have been using the rink for the past few weeks, the official opening was postponed until last Friday. At present there are eight teams from Penticton, Kelowna and Oliver competing in a league at the rink every Wednesday, when the ice is open to the public.

Len Trautman, president of the Peachland Curling Club, welcomed guests and visitors. He introduced Dolphie Browne, president of the Vernon Curling Club, and vice-president of the B.C. Curling Association, who congratulated Peachland curlers on their achievement in getting the rink constructed.

Frank Burkholder represented the Kelowna Curling Club in the absence of Dr. C. Newby, who was unable to be present. Cecil Wade, of Summerland, brought greetings from the Summerland club and Mrs. M. Ferguson, president of the Peachland Ladies Club, expressed appreciation on behalf of the women.

Rev. Father Meulenburgh, of Summerland, who was in charge of construction, expressed pleasure at being present, and of being able to assist in building the structure. He referred to the benefits the community will derive from the new rink, and paid tribute to those with whom he had worked.

After Reeve Topham had officially opened the rink, the executive and their wives along with official guests, were entertained at a reception by the reeve and council. A light lunch was provided at the rink for the spectators.

A gala bonspiel got underway Friday night which continued Saturday and Sunday. Olaf Anderson's rink of Westbank, won event No. 1, while runner-up was O. S. Keay, of Peachland. Event No. 2 was taken by S. G. Della rink of Peachland and runner-up was O. Williams, of Peachland. V. Oakes' rink of Peachland captured event No. 3, and runner-up was S. Saunders, of Westbank.

Penticton Girl Guides will sell Guide cookies from a booth to be located on Main street, in the vicinity of the post office, on the afternoon of April 8. Permission was granted by council, last week.

Safest clothes for women doing housework are trim clothes. Long dangling sleeves or filmy fluffy clothes should be shunned—they can cause accidents. Also, diagonal pockets have less tendency to catch than straight pockets.

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Open House At City Schools

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assembly hall. Eric Chambers, Vancouver, superintendent of the construction crew now delivering the final touches to the \$135,000 building, is understandably proud of his endeavors. And so is John Griffiths, representative of the school board and the architects, McCarter and Nairne of Vancouver.

Mr. Griffiths, pointing up the intensive planning for future space to be provided by the new school, gestured to an enclosed 60' by 24' area at the south-west end of the building.

"That will be blacktopped," he said. "Right now, it can be used as a playground for the kids at recess and noon-hour. And when it's necessary to expand, we'll simply add on two rooms to the rest of the building." Just as easy as that.

EIGHT CLASSES TO MOVE Under the supervision of D. O'Connell, principal of elementary schools in Penticton, eight classes will move from the overcrowded establishment on Main street to their new "home."

At the high school, H. D. Pritchard sits behind a glass-topped desk in an expansive office—replete with an inter-com system—from which he controls the direction of students striving for higher education.

It's quite a chore. Augmenting the usual courses known quite well by Mom and Dad—English, history, French, mathematics—are a few products of modern education: vocational agriculture, instructed by J. Campbell, in which boys gain a working knowledge of plant life—vines, tomatoes, chrysanthemums, even the usually ignored cactus—by conducting their own hothouse experiments, and a driving school.

DRIVING SCHOOL

The driving school is an innovation to the curricula of several B.C. high schools. Instituted in Vancouver three years ago under the sponsorship of the Vancouver Traffic and Safety Council which receives a grant from the Department of Education, the idea has since "caught on" throughout the province and is instructed, in the Okanagan Valley, at Kamloops, Vernon, Kelowna and Penticton.

The course started here two years ago, under direction of Mr. Pritchard and school teachers Kenneth MacKenzie and Frank Laird. It consists of a difficult slate of 24 lectures—one hour a week—during which the students learn from cover to cover a 473-page book entitled Sportsmanlike Driving, published by the American Automobile Association.

PRAISES 1950 CROP

They also experience 20 hours behind the wheel, culminated by a comprehensive road test. Each year, an instructor for the MacKenzie's Driving School in Vancouver makes a tour of high schools, examining the driving school members with a course that might tax the merits of a test pilot. This year it's Desmond Vosper—he was here Monday—and he had nothing but praise for the 1951 crop.

As a matter of fact, a Penticton girl proved false the old accusation that women aren't exactly the best drivers when she attained a grade of 98 percent. Her name: Eunice Cook. Two years ago, Marguerite Hyde was one of the top three in the province.

Explaining the strenuous program, Mr. Pritchard stated that he would have a tough time passing it himself. "I took the test," he added, "and it was an education."

Sunday drivers might be advised to try these stunts in their spare time. Drive down a hundred-foot stretch, keeping the outside wheels on a tape only four inches wide. Or drive through—in high gear—a space which affords only two inches on each side of the car. Or, maybe, park in a stall which provides only six inches on each end of the car. The exam is rather trying.

Members of the driving class symbolized their appreciation for Mr. Vosper's testing ability with a pen and pencil set, presented by George Demopoulos after examinations on Monday.

OPEN HOUSE

Education Week will be conducted

locally by teachers of elementary and high schools and members of the Parent-Teachers Association. Mom and Dad will see their progeny at work in biology and physics labs, in English classes on Monday at the high school, watch at the elementary school their little ones learning the fundamentals of reading, writing and arithmetic.

Also on Monday, The P-TA will present a tea and bazaar at the high school. Then on Thursday night, they will conduct a public meeting at which a panel of speakers including A. D. C. Washington, Mrs. Helen Colquhoun, George Lang and Mrs. Muriel Reading will discuss the advantages and problems of education. The chairman will be J. Y. Halcerow.

"Open House" goings-on will be conducted at the new Carmi Road school for the parents of students in eight of 30 classes to be moved.

Warned Mr. O'Connell: "The parents can certainly come. They're welcome... but things will be in an uproar."



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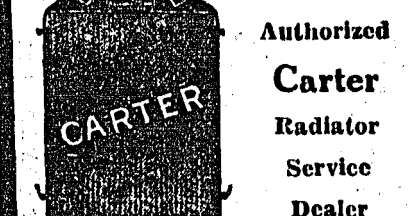
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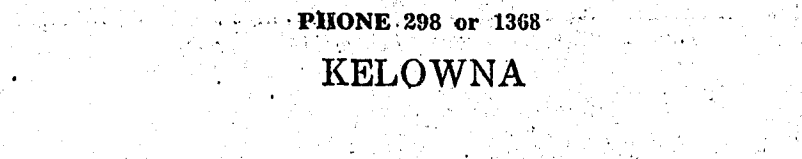
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Little Miss Sandra Cantrill and

Terry MacMillan presented the many lovely gifts to the guest of honor.

Among the invited guests were Mrs. G. Rose, Mrs. W. Crutchley, Mrs. S. Wade, Mrs. C. MacMillan, Mrs. C. Finch, Mrs. E. Moog, Mrs. J. Bella, Miss Ruth Best, Miss Betty Moog, Miss Gladys Rose and Miss Alice Williams.

Miss Gladys Rose assisted the hostesses in the serving of refreshments.

In And AROUND TOWN

Mrs. J. L. Robinson, who has been visiting for the past five weeks with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Craighead, at Secret Cove, arrived home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan MacDonald of Kamloops were here over the weekend as guests of Mrs. MacDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Cumming.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. O'Flaherty, of Kelowna, were week-end guests with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. C. Wilson.

Arriving here Sunday from Nelson with their two children, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Minn have taken up residence in their home on Martin street, which they recently purchased from Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hooper. Mr. and Mrs. Hooper moved to their new residence at 211 Norton street, last week.

Mrs. P. E. Pauls left by plane Friday for a short visit in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hughes arrived home yesterday after visiting in Vancouver since Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Ball arrived home Tuesday following a brief visit at Abbotsford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henney arrived home Saturday from Vancouver where Mr. Henney had been a patient in Shaughnessy Military Hospital.

Mrs. P. D. O'Brien and small daughter, Kerry, arrived home yesterday from a Vancouver visit.

Mrs. T. Walker was the honored guest when Mr. and Mrs. W. Philips entertained at dinner Sunday on the occasion of her birthday.

Miss Pat Martin who motored to Vancouver for the week-end arrived home Sunday.

Mrs. Gordon M. Clark, who has been visiting in Vancouver for the past ten days has arrived home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Young were Vernon visitors for a few days last week. While there, Mr. Young attended the meeting of the Kiwanis Club.

Mrs. A. E. Tidball entertained at a mother and daughter tea, Tuesday, honoring her mother, Mrs. Logan Black of Klamath Falls, Oregon, who has been a visitor here since Christmas and leaves for home this week-end.

Visitors from the east with Dr. and Mrs. I. D. C. Clark are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reed of Glenora, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Nasou, of Vancouver, were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Winter.

Arriving Thursday from Grand Prairie, Alberta, Mrs. F. E. Neville is a guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Wickert.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDonald arrived home Sunday evening from a short stay in Vancouver. They motored to the coast Saturday with their daughter, Miss Norma McDonald, who has been visiting them for the past month and has now returned to her nurses' training at the Vancouver General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lance Webber and Mr. and Mrs. H. Callaway were Vernon visitors last week. Mr. Webber and Mr. Callaway joined with other visiting Penticton Kiwanians in attending the Vernon Club meeting Wednesday.

Dr. T. F. Parnley, who was in Vancouver and Victoria for several days, arrived home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barritt are leaving tomorrow for a ten-day holiday motor trip. They will attend the ski tournament at Revelstoke this week-end and then travel south and return home via Spokane and other Washington points of interest.

Mayor W. A. Rathbun, Alderman Frank C. Christian and Mrs. George Kingsley, secretary of the Penticton Board of Trade, attended the annual meeting of the Kelowna Board of Trade, last week.

Mrs. G. L. Stevenson was a week-end visitor in Vancouver.

Kiwanis Hears Mrs. Joyce Brown

Mrs. R. Burns, Mrs. Lyman Seney, Mrs. H. M. Schull, and Mrs. Lance Webber were assisting hostesses with Mrs. E. L. Boulton when the regular monthly meeting of the Kiwanis Club was held Monday at the home of the latter.

General business of the meeting conducted by Mrs. George Lang, president, covered the various reports of the club's activities.

Mrs. Joyce Brown, guest speaker, introduced by Mrs. T. Moore, chairman of the entertainment committee.

Mrs. Brown, in her interesting address to the club members, told of her years preparing as a teacher for the deaf and of her experiences as a teacher in the Saskatoon school for the Deaf.

At the conclusion of the business meeting refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Student Body Conducts Church Services Here

The entire school body from the Christian Leadership Training School at Naramata occupied the choir loft at the Sunday evening service in the Penticton United Church.

Mrs. J. Ormiston was organist when Miss Ruth Simpson, dean of women at the Training School, directed the choir for the evening service.

Rev. R. A. McLaren, of Naramata, and three student speakers, Miss Lillian Parson, Winnipeg; Miss Vivian Offerdahl, Winfield, and Mr. Douglas Robinson, Victoria, took over and conducted the church services.

When the visitors were entertained at a Fireside hour in the church parlors following worship, Mr. James Mitten, former member of the Kilsno Boys' Band and now a student at Naramata, gave several fine selections on the trumpet.

New Members Welcomed To Jr. Auxiliary

When the regular monthly meeting of the Junior Hospital Auxiliary was held last week in the Red Cross Centre, Mrs. R. V. White presided in the absence of Miss Elizabeth Sutherland.

Ten volunteers from the auxiliary will work with Mrs. O. M. MacInnis in the Red Cross campaign for funds, which commences in the city tomorrow.

In response to a request received by them, the members of the junior group will serve at the forthcoming March 17 Tea to be sponsored by the Senior Hospital Auxiliary.

Mrs. N. R. McElroy, auxiliary representative to the Penticton Hospital Board, told of the last meeting of the board and also spoke of attending the annual hospital meeting.

Mrs. N. Truth, Mrs. J. M. McMurray, Mrs. M. Inglis and Mrs. G. L. Stevenson were welcomed as new members of the auxiliary.

Lenten Tea To Be Held At Home Of Mrs. C. S. Burtch

Mrs. M. W. Bird, first vice-president, conducted the regular meeting of the Evening Women's Auxiliary to St. Saviour's Anglican Church when Mrs. S. Wade, president, was absent.

Eighteen members were present at the Monday meeting to hear Rev. W. S. Beames speak briefly on several subjects of interest to the auxiliary.

Plans were made for the third in the series of Lenten Teas sponsored by the W.A. and held in member's homes.

Assisting when the next tea is held March 7 at the home of Mrs. C. S. Burtch, Lakeshore Drive, will be Mrs. E. Riley, Mrs. J. T. Young, Mrs. R. S. Skelton, Mrs. J. A. Dixon and Mrs. W. C. Gibb.

Mrs. H. N. LeRoy, Mrs. D. A. Moore and Mrs. R. Cox will be in charge of the regular monthly rummage sale of the auxiliary to be held Saturday in the lower Parish hall.

The next regular meeting of the auxiliary is scheduled for March 12 in the Parish hall.

Mrs. Vada Smith, Miss Shirley Smith, Randall Smith and Jack Morris were here over the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Thom.

Annual Meeting Summerland Girl Guide Ass'n Held

SUMMERLAND — Twenty-five were present at the annual meeting of the Guide Association last week in the Youth Centre, including about half a dozen visiting mothers of Guides and Brownies.

Enrolment pins had arrived and the district commissioner, Mrs. W. Golden, Penticton, is to be invited to the next meeting to enroll members and to present pins.

Arrangements were made for Cookie Week, April 21-28. The association plans to hold a parcel post tea on Saturday, April 28, to raise funds, and as a grand "wind-up" to Cookie Week.

A report was given by Capt. McIntosh for the Guides and Brownies which showed companies and packs are progressing and that a large number of tests are being passed.

Excellent reports of the past year's work were heard. Mrs. E. Hack, the treasurer, stated that as much as \$500 had been passed through the association's books during the year. The secretary, Mrs. James Marshall, gave a splendid summing up, showing the society had been a very active one.

All officers were re-elected with the exception of badge secretary in which Mrs. W. Durick will take over from Mrs. Earle Wilson.

The president, Mrs. D. L. Sanborn, thanked the members of the executive and all members of the association for their fine co-operation throughout the year.

On hand were 20 very nice tea-spoons which Mrs. Hack had been able to get for the association with coupons handed in for the purpose by members.

The association was pleased to welcome Mrs. W. McCutcheon as liaison member from the Legion WA for the coming year, and appreciated Mrs. McLarty, the representative last year.

Tea was served at the close of the meeting.

Office Vacancies Filled By War Bride's Group

Mrs. J. Stewart has been elected as treasurer of the Penticton War Brides' Association to fill the vacancy due to the resignation of Mrs. B. Dobbie.

Also elected to hold office when the regular monthly meeting of the association was held in the Red Cross Centre last week was Mrs. G. Smith as vice-president.

This office had not been filled when the yearly election of officers took place recently.

Announcement was made of the next regular meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. T. Millington, March 7.

Dr. E. V. Thompson left last night to attend a convention in Vancouver. She plans to arrive home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Turnbull and Mr. C. E. Battye arrived home from the coast Tuesday. Mr. Turnbull, district school inspector and Mr. Battye, school trustee, were in Victoria in connection with school business.

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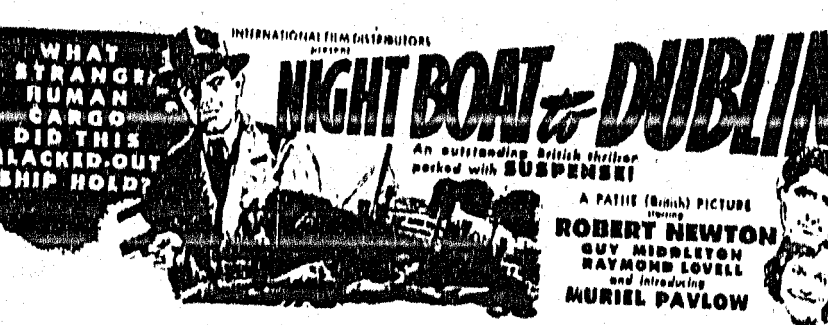
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KEREMEOS—Members of the local Players' Club provoked the plaudits of this community Monday night when they entertained drama enthusiasts with a rollicking performance of "Ever Since Eve".

The three-act comedy, a tribute to the casting and directing ability of Mrs. F. C. McCague, produced roars of laughter from an amused audience which thoroughly applauded the talents of the youthful Thespians.

Singled out for additional merit was stage manager Irene Weller who in the best show-must-go-on tradition stepped into a difficult role on the night before the performance when the player originally cast was stricken by influenza. She played the part like a veteran.

Miss Dugdale and Mrs. W. G. Smith were co-hostesses at a Lenten tea at the home of the former, on Wednesday, in aid of the building fund of St. John's Anglican Church.

Mrs. Huntley Corkle was a visitor last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Coleman.

Speakers at a meeting of the Princeton and Keremeos teachers here on Saturday afternoon were Fred Bunce of Kelowna, president of Okanagan Valley Teachers' Association; Clark Wilkin, of Summerland, president and geographical representative of BCTF; and Fred Flick of Oliver, 1st vice-president of OVTA. Teachers of the elementary school entertained in honor of the visitors following the meeting.

H. Maisonneuve has disposed of his property on the Cawston Road to J. Heinrich of Summerland.

Keremeos Girl Guides accompanied by their leaders and friends took part in the Scouts' and Guides' service in commemoration of Founders' Day in Penticton on Sunday last.

Rev. George Pattison, of St. Mark's Church, Qualicum Beach, was a visitor in Keremeos on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Grady, of Dryden, Wash., were guests last week of Mr. O'Grady's sister, Mrs. E. C. Armstrong and Mr. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clarke and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ritchie returned during the week from a six weeks' trip to eastern Canada and the States. They visited as far east as New York and as far south as New Orleans where they saw the Mardi Gras. They also spent a few days at the home of Mrs. T. Brownrigg, Mr. Clarke's sister and Dr. Brownrigg, of Beaumont, Texas. While in the east, Mrs. Ritchie visited her family in New Brunswick.

City Hall Survey
Waits For Experts

Still in the "proposed" stage are efforts to expedite the workings of the City Hall.

At its meeting Monday night, city council learned that Stevenson and Kellogg, a Vancouver firm of efficiency experts which was to conduct the survey, had not appeared to discuss the matter with City Hall officials.

This fact came to light when Alderman J. G. Harris asked for information on the survey which was recommended in January. "What has happened to it?" he queried.

City Clerk H. G. Andrew explained that the firm of efficiency experts had promised to have a representative at the city hall Wednesday to discuss the operation "in a preliminary sort of way." The representative did not appear.

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Fruit Industry Warned Of
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A warning to the Valley fruit industry that it must make every effort to maintain its preeminent position in the face of determined competition from other fruit centres, was embodied in an article written by A. K. Loyd, president of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd., and published in the February 26 issue of the Growers' Bulletin.

Mr. Loyd also discussed the advisability of streamlining the crop in full crop years, a subject which was debated at length during the recent BCFGA convention.

"Resolution No. 3 at the Convention raised the question of the advisability of streamlining the crop in full crop years, to the market available. This was the subject of prolonged debate at the Convention, and the resolution eventually carried a slim majority. The same thought was conveyed in the reports issued by the Manager and Sales Manager of B.C. Tree Fruits to the Convention.

"There is plenty of time before next year to discuss the matter further, and in view of the fact that the delegates to the Convention seemed to be somewhat divided on the subject, the point of view in favour of such a programme is submitted herewith.

"We have in the past had a crop of nine million boxes of apples. Whether we have another of the same magnitude, or larger, in the future is very uncertain. It is probable that a crop of seven million or somewhat more can be handled satisfactorily on the existing markets, but once we go beyond that the market for the whole crop increases. These are some facts to be borne in mind.

"It is unwise for two reasons to attempt to hold the fruit loose, waiting for the market to make the decision as to whether it is packed or not; the first reason being that holding fruit thus means that the space of two packed boxes in the storage is now required for three loose, reducing the storage capacity by one-third. The second reason is that it has been proven that in nearly all varieties, holding them in storage, taking them out and packing them and replacing them in storage, increases bruising and is bad for the fruit.

"It becomes necessary, therefore, to make a decision at the beginning of the packing season as to what is going to be packed, and if it is decided to pack the entire crop, then a cost of anywhere from 80¢ to \$1 is placed on the commodity and it becomes almost mandatory to sell the box in order to recover at least this expenditure, no matter whether the market is sold advantageously for the industry or otherwise.

"Some varieties must be sold by a certain date. If they are packed and these charges incurred, it may become necessary to force them on to an already glutted market in order to retrieve the expenditure referred to. This procedure would obviously affect the general level of the market and reflect on the certain. "An argument advanced at the Convention against such a plan was as follows:

"It is better to sell all the crop at reasonable prices than to sell part of it at high prices."

"Nobody would dispute that statement, but unfortunately it does not represent the choice which has to be made. It would be much easier to the market to say that the decision before us is whether to place the entire crop somehow on the market, at a price that will move it (which may be an unsatisfactory one) or whether to place all of it that will bring returns satisfactory to the grower on the fresh fruit market, diverting the balance elsewhere, with as little expense incurred on it as possible.

"It should be borne in mind that in 1949-1950 the programme adopted was one of attempting to sell the entire crop at a reasonable price, but in 1949 the average result was deplored by the growers in general. To be frank, there is no doubt that the opposition to the suggestion rose, at least in part, from the thought that your Sales Agency might, under such an arrangement, select what was easy to sell and divert or discard the balance.

"The record of the Agency during the last eleven years has been one of maximum effort to sell the maximum quantity, and it seems unjustifiable to think that it would be false to its trust in this regard merely because it was able to adjust the size of the crop to the market. Furthermore, if that thought weighs too heavily with the growers, they already have a safeguard in the ten experienced Governor-growers who can control the policy of the Company; and if further safeguards were considered necessary they could doubtless be arranged.

"The choice therefore lies between an endeavour to size up the market and pack all possible fruit that it appears likely to be able to absorb at a remunerative price to the grower, or to pack all the tonnage presented, without reference to the size of the market, (affected as it is now by artificial restrictions), hoping that the result may be favourable, and having no alternative but to accept whatever the outcome may be.

"The Convention, as we have said, adopted the former programme, but by only a slim majority. For that reason it seems to us very advisable that growers as a whole should have the facts before them in order that they can form their own opinion.

"During the past decade the mar-

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Co-operation between council and postal authorities was manifested in correspondence from Postmaster G. B. Latimer read by city clerk H. G. Andrew.

One letter complained that the condition of Poplar Grove road was poor enough to block the local mail truck while it was delivering the mail. Council referred the matter to the engineers, requested them to devote immediate attention to repairs to the Poplar Grove road.

Another letter from Mr. Latimer, in response to an appeal from the council which would provide mail service to those localities not included on the routes of rural delivery or foot-carriers, assured city fathers that the problem was being investigated by officials of the postal department.

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Improved Marketing Deal For South Okanagan Vegetable Growers

OSOYOOS—Improved marketing deal for district vegetable growers this year is expected. The provincial government has advised Southern Okanagan Co-operative Vegetable Growers' Association that it is justified in its contention that marketing for this area could be improved.

Negotiations have been under way for months involving the Co-op, Interior Vegetable Marketing Board, and provincial government with southern growers threatening to set up their own marketing scheme unless improvements are made.

It now appears likely that the marketing proposals placed before the board in December will be adopted in principle. There are, however, many details to be ironed out.

The proposed scheme would establish average shipments per acre after annual "pick-to-order" instructions and relate them to quotas, with set periods for shipping.

South Okanagan growers are also appealing to provincial and federal authorities for assistance for farmers severely hit by poor markets, loss of fruit through winter damage, and loss of earnings through loss of their railway strike.

More than 150 signatures appear on the petition asking for help.

The petition was endorsed by the Board of Trade and Village Commission.

A police officer testified that he had discovered the accused, with two Indian men, on the Penticton No. 1 Indian Reservation with a gallon jar of wine. The Crown Prosecutor asked that a serious view should be taken of the offense. "There are many similar offenses committed by Indians and we are unable to trace their source of supply," he said.

Passing sentence, the magistrate declared, "I understand that there is a movement afoot to give the Indians the right to take a drink. However, until the law is changed we must enforce the act as it is at present."

Indian Woman Fined On Liquor Charge

Indian Woman Fined On Liquor Charge. An Indian woman was fined \$15 and costs in police court yesterday when she appeared before Magistrate G. A. McLelland and pleaded guilty to a charge of having liquor on an Indian Reservation.

Knights Of Pythias, Pythians Sisters At Oroville Celebrations

Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters from the local lodge were guests at the anniversary celebrations of the Oroville, Washington, Lodge last Tuesday.

About 40 knights, sisters and guests travelled to the Washington city to attend the meeting which featured an old time dance demonstration by a special dance team.

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Players Club Studio Night Presentations Reveal New Talent

New talent was discovered at last week's Studio Night presentations of the Penticton Players Club which attracted a fair-sized audience despite the fact illness had forced postponement for one week, and that there had been little advance publicity.

Purpose of studio nights, it is stressed by the club, is to give experience to newer members, but this did not stop the audience from enjoying the two one-act plays and everyone agreed that the evening was a great success.

As a complete contrast to "Duet for Two Hands" which was produced last November, with careful attention to every detail of stage management, the Studio Night had very little scenery and few properties. This gave the actors a real chance to prove their own ability.

The first play was directed by Ethel Joslin. This comedy-drama concerned an "actor" past his prime, who plays one part a little too well.

Mrs. Joslin had evidently worked hard on her production, and got the best out of her cast. Star performer was J. Y. Halcrow, who obviously enjoyed his "hamming" as much as did the audience. We hope to see him in many future productions.

Helene Prosbey was a cheerful landlady, and Sydney Barbara Hembling looked adorable in her pathetic role. George Goodwin as Mr. Pomfrey was also well cast, and "The Lady," played by Helen Hayes, showed that a small part can be important. Of course, Queens Bowsfield and her "outrageous hat" almost stole the show!

The second play, was an innovation in the comedy line. The players, portraying a family on an automobile journey in the 1920's, had no properties except four chairs used to designate an auto. With Muriel Reading as Ma it was a treat. Here is another performer new to the club who will be taking roles in future major productions.

After the over-emphasis so effective in the first play, Mrs. Reading's easy folksiness was very refreshing. Her daughter Marlene was completely at ease in the part of little Arthur, and her sobs were touchingly real.

Young Caroline, played by Blanche Howard, was a typical teenager, and Mrs. Howard's interpretation was a thoughtful one.

Fred Shirley drove carefully all the way, and like most husbands, got very little opportunity to prove he too could speak.

Sheila Hanlon was supposed to take the part of Beulah, but a last minute attack of flu forced Phyllis McLean to substitute. Any diffidence about Mrs. McLean's cues suited her part, which she played with

quiet competence. Jeff Ajello stage-managed the production with his usual sang froid.

Ardis Granger was in charge of the programs and Mrs. Almack kindly arranged the music. The usual workers were active behind the scenes: Sheila Reade, Harry Almack, Audrey Allington, Shirley Halcrow and Queens Bowsfield. After the entertainment, refreshments were served to club members and new members were welcomed into the group.—V. WILSON (Mrs.)

Mrs. E. A. Arnusch Of Summerland Dies

Elsie Alice Arnusch, 25, of Summerland died in Penticton Hospital, Tuesday, after a brief illness.

Surviving here are her husband, Frank John, and two children, Jimmy and an infant daughter, Judy. Mrs. Arnusch is also survived by her parents Mr. and Mrs. Emrick Bonne, and three brothers and three sisters of Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Requiem mass will be celebrated in the church of the Holy Child, West Summerland, at 10 p.m. tomorrow, the Reverend Father A. Meulenbergh officiating. Interment will be in Lakeview Cemetery, Penticton. Penticton Funeral Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Penticton Jaycees will meet tonight in the Legion Hall at 6:30.

Spring Assize Court Opens In Vernon April 9

VERNON—The spring court of assize in Vernon will open on April 9, for criminal and civil hearings, according to the current issue of the

British Columbia Gazette. The name of the presiding judge, and the docket, will not be available for some time yet. The date of the fall assize is listed as November 12 of this year.

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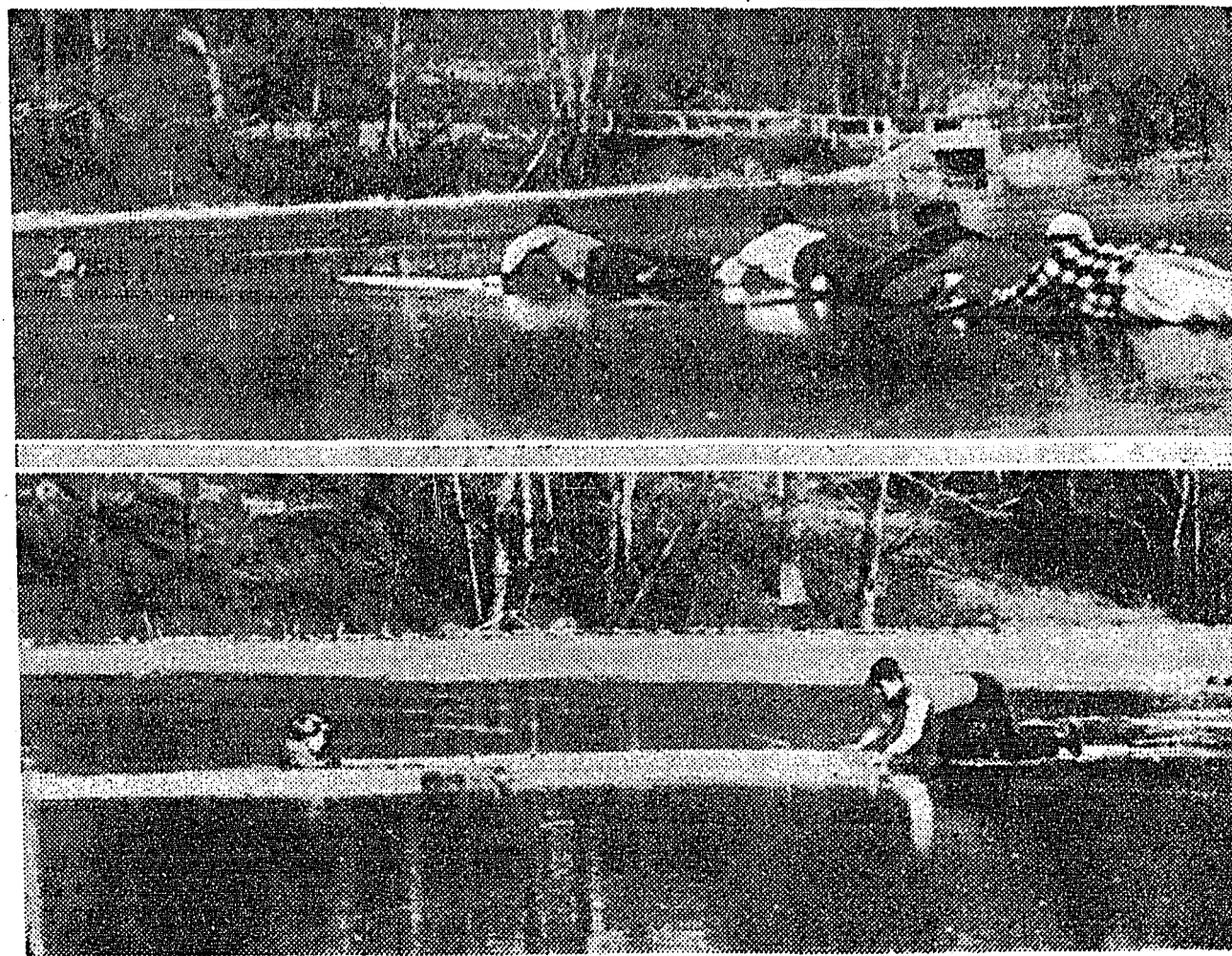
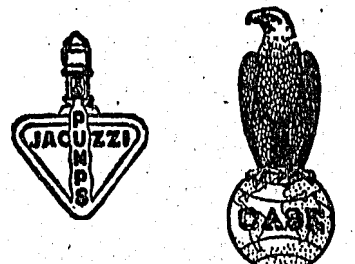
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Order No. 8

DUTIES: Orderly Officer for week ending 1 Mar. 51, Capt. Sutter. Next for duty, RSM Raitt, G. Orderly Sgt. for week ending 1 Mar. 51, Sgt. Warnock, E. Next for duty, Sgt. Young, R. PARADES: "C" Squadron will parade at times shown 1 Mar. 51. 1930 hrs.—Instructors report to Orderly Room then go direct to their wings. 1945 hrs.—Squadron parade and roll call. 2000 hrs.—First Period. Wireless—Recap. D & M—Recap. Gunnery—Recap. 2040 hrs.—Break. 2045 hrs.—Second Period. All personnel will parade on Gunnery—as laid down. 2125 hrs.—Break. 2130 hrs.—Third Period. All personnel will parade on Gunnery—as laid down. FILMS: Training films will be shown. Col. A. K. Robertson of Kaleden will lecture and show a film on the Alaska Highway System—its construction and maintenance. Thursday, 1 Mar. 51, at 2230 hrs. RANGE: 11 Mar. 51—Range practice at Kaleden Range. Personnel will parade at Armouries at 0930 hrs. Bring your own rations. Major J. V. H. WILSON, MC. Officer Commanding, "C" Squadron, British Columbia Dragoons.

NOTICE

Thursday, 1 Mar. 51, will be open house at the Penticton Armoury. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

Plumbing, Heating
Classified As One
Trade For Licensing

City Council moved without hesitation, Monday, to remedy what plumbing and heating contractors termed an "injustice" in relation to separate license fees being charged for practising the two trades.

The trades licensing by-law which now calls for a \$20 license for operating as a plumber and another for operating as a heating contractor, was ordered amended to permit the one license to cover both plumbing and heating.

A delegation, headed by Clare Doyle, waited upon council, Monday, to explain its grievance. Mr. Doyle said that in other municipalities plumbing and heating are classified as one trade. Another point made by Mr. Doyle was that the city's fee of \$20 is among the highest in the province.

The local contractors' complaint was supported by the South Okanagan Contractors' Association. Alderman J. C. Harris expressed the view that hot water heating installations were within the province of the plumber and he moved the by-law be amended to classify plumbing and heating under the one license.

RN Orders New Anti-Sub Aircraft—A large number of the new prop-jet submarine hunting aircraft, the Fairey 27, have been ordered for the British Admiralty. First "prop-jet" ever to land on a carrier at sea, the Fairey 27 is powered by an Armstrong Siddeley Double Mamba engine.

Letters To The Editor

Correspondence will be carried by the Herald only when it is accompanied by the writer's name and address.

The Editor,
Penticton Herald.

The teachers of British Columbia feel that they are being betrayed by the government of the province through legislation to be introduced regarding teachers' pensions. As we intend to carry our fight against this legislation to the floor of the House, we wish to acquaint the public with the facts and appeal for the widest possible support. Our difficulties date back to 1940, when the Teachers' Pension Fund, inadequately financed, was nearly bankrupt. The Teachers' Pensions Act established then saved the fund from extinction, but involved considerable sacrifices. The pensions being paid, which were already pitifully small, were substantially reduced, while the contributions of the active teachers were substantially increased.

During the ten years from 1940 to 1950, while the cost of living rose some 70 percent, pensions remained static. Nothing was done even to restore the reductions imposed in 1940. Teachers' pensions in British Columbia are now lower than those paid in any other Canadian province, averaging some \$70 per month. In many cases they are lower even than the old age pension; nor do they include the free medical and hospital care which goes with the old age pension. Yet the old age pensioner has made no cash contribution, while the teachers' pension is a contributory one. The B.C. Teachers' Federation has made several attempts to remedy the situation. On two occasions, briefs on behalf of the retired teachers were presented to the provincial government, and found that the government's preoccupation with the desperate plight of some of the retired teachers, the Federation raised, through voluntary subscription from its members, a fund of \$17,000 which was used for emergency relief of the neediest cases. This year the Federation has requested legislation further increasing the teachers' own contributions

to the fund.

In 1950, a survey by a professional actuary revealed that the pension fund now has a healthy enough reserve to justify increases ranging up to 30 percent in the pensions being paid, without any increase in cost to the teachers or to the government. Although the retired teachers had waited ten years for any increase at all, and a 30 percent increase is pretty small compared with the rise in living costs, nevertheless this was welcome news.

But what action does the government propose? It proposes to reduce its contributions to the fund by 14 percent, and, as a result of this "economy", raise the pensions by 15 percent or less instead of the promised 30 percent. Note that the "surplus" in the pension fund has been created by reducing the benefits and increasing the cost of the scheme to the teachers. A surplus created in this way cannot honestly be appropriated by the government to reduce its own budget. Yet that is precisely what the government proposes.

Now, teachers do not, in most cases, retire voluntarily. The Pensions Act provides that at age 65 in case of men and 60 in case of women, teachers must retire. We are, therefore, speaking on behalf of two groups. There are those who were first legislated out of employment; then, in 1940, had their meagre pensions cut; got along for ten years of cumulative inflation on these meagre pensions; and now appear likely to be robbed of their first opportunity for a moderate improvement in their position. There are also those who are now approaching retirement, and find that the government's preoccupation with dollar economy destroys any chance of receiving even a subsistence pension.

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THE OPTION

Since Christ died by a miracle, John 10:18, and rose again by another to ascend, it is evident He could have ascended from the cross without dying at all and we would still have the finished work. These reflections should clarify that His death is no part of His finished work.

What was finished on the cross? It was His life under Moses' law which, though baptised with water in Jordan, and with the Spirit as a dove, He dare not send His ministers to the Gentiles; Matt. 10:5. It was that work of which Paul said, 2 Cor. 5:16, "We know Him not after the flesh, henceforth." It was that work which brought Him to the forks of the road, to the option, on the cross, of going back home to God up from the cross, leaving the world to its fate; or, going home through death purchasing mercy for his murderers, His death was not the last act of his "finished work" but the first act of His "new covenant." Had He not risen all this day, we would still have the finished work but it could not save.

The resurrection is our hope. It is the second act in making salvation for us, and puts effectiveness in the first act, His death, saving us high above this finished work claim. The doctrine of "Trusting in the finished work of Christ" should never have been put on the air. It is wrong "dividing of the work of truth." It is a "wind of doctrine" that we must not follow. It is "knowing Christ after the flesh" which St. Paul forbids, 2 Cor. 5:16. It is a thoughtless "invention sought out," Eccl. 7:20. It must be overcome or the end will be fatal—eternally. It helps Christians to rejoice in the lusts of the flesh and feel safe.

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11:00 a.m.—Monthly Communion Service.

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8:00 p.m.—Bible Study.

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Statistical Information Of Canadian Families Sought In Decennial Census

Changes in the number and average size of Canadian families will be revealed by the Ninth Decennial Census of Canada, to be taken in June this year. During the ten years from 1931 to 1941 the average number of children per family decreased. Since 1941 the number of families has risen far more than during the 1930's, but it is probable that the average number of children per family has decreased further in spite of a marked increase in the birth rate. Exactly how much each has changed will be shown by the 1951 Census.

The 1931 Census enumerated 2,149,000 families, while at the 1941 Census 2,525,000 were recorded, an increase of 17.5 per cent. Judging by estimates for years since 1941, the 1951 Census will show a still larger proportionate, as well as numerical, increase over 1941. The estimated number of families in June, 1949, the

latest date for which such an estimate is available, was 3,187,000, an increase of over 26 per cent since 1941.

Regarding the factors in family formation, there has been an average of 106,800 marriages yearly over the period 1941-49 of persons marrying for the first time, while in the period 1931-40 the yearly average was 75,200. There has also been a considerable immigration of families into Canada since the Second World War.

In 1931 there were 4,965,000 children in families, an average of 2.3 per family. In 1941 the number was up to 5,200,000, but the average per family was down to 2.1 children. The reduced 1941 average reflects the lower birth rate of the 1930's, the average birth rate for this period being 20.9 per 1,000 of the population as compared with 24.1 per 1,000 over the period 1926-30.

Since the 1930's the birth rate has risen; for the period 1941-48 the yearly average was 24.9 per 1,000. However, the increase in the 1940's was due largely to the increase in marriages and, consequently, in first and second births, and not to a relative increase in the birth, say, of fourth, fifth and later children. Accordingly, while the 1951 Census will show a considerably larger number of both children in families and of families with children, the average number of children per family is not likely to exceed the average for 1941.

Skim milk is as good a source of calcium, phosphorus, iron and protein as whole milk. And, while on the subject of milk, remember to make sure the milk you use—skim or whole—is pasteurized.

ANSWER TO CROSS WORD
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2. TIRE
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6. SIGN
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13. EIGHT
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15. SUPER
16. APT
17. CLASS
18. DARK



GRETA GARBO, one of the most famous stars in the history of films and now a well-known Hollywood recluse, is seen above as she recently signed for her citizenship certificate in the Federal Court of Los Angeles after taking the final oath that made her a citizen of the United States. The taciturn Swede, heavily veiled, hurried away without comment as soon as the formalities were completed.

Kelowna Council Debates Passing On Power Cost Savings To Consumers

City Buses Travel 250,000 Miles Without Accident

More than 250,000 miles without accident is the proud record of the Columbia Coachways.

At the general meeting of the company last week it was revealed that in the past twelve months the buses had travelled 104,000 miles on city streets, carrying 280,000 passengers. This brings the total to more than a quarter-of-a-million miles since the start of the company's operations.

The Douglas fir is named in honor of David Douglas, a Scottish botanist who introduced it into Europe in 1827.

KELOWNA—City electric light consumers may get a rebate if they pay their bills before the 18th of the month.

This possibility loomed at a recent council meeting when city fathers gave first reading to a bill which would reduce commercial light rates from four to three and a half cents per kilowatt hour; store window light rates from three to two and a half cents, and a ten per cent discount to domestic consumers if bills are paid before the 18th of the month.

SAVING \$42,000

Under the new agreement between the city and West Kootenay Power and Light Co., it is estimated the city will save approximately \$42,000.

While council agreed some time ago that any saving should be passed on to the consumers, acting Mayor J. J. Ladd sounded a note of warning when the matter was discussed. The finance chairman who keeps a rigid hold on the city's purse strings thought this amount was too large to pass on due to the rising cost of civic administration; increased school costs; increased debt charges, and the proposed sidewalk construction program.

GIVEN TWO READINGS

However, the bill was given first two readings, and sent to the public utilities commission for approval. After it has been returned, the matter will again be discussed.

Mr. Ladd, who occupied the chair in the absence of Mayor W. B. Hughes-Games who was ill with the flu, admitted that council had agreed to pass on the saving to consumers.

He questioned whether it is good business to give all the increased profit from the electric light department, and then have to increase the mill rate.

The Member Reports

By O. L. Jones, M.P. for Yale

Several questions have been asked and answered in the House during the last week that have a direct bearing on the people of British Columbia, and I propose to deal with one or two of them.

The Postmaster General, in answer to a question—"why deliveries of mail to residential districts in the cities are to be cut from two to one delivery a day"—was very brief. It was pointed out that it was a matter of economy. A further question relating to school boys taking over mail routes on Saturday at 78c an hour was asked. The Minister did not answer directly, but mentioned that announcements in connection with this would be made later.

Another question that created some interest was asked of the Minister of Fisheries, as follows:

"Is any action being taken by the Canadian authorities similar to that reported from the United States to assure that, when the Japanese Peace Treaty is being drawn up, adequate protection will be afforded our Pacific Coast fisheries against encroachment by Japanese fishermen?" This elicited the noncommittal answer: "I want to assure the honorable member for Skeena that I will draw his question to the attention of my Minister, and that an answer will be made in due course."

Mr. J. M. Macdonnell sought an answer from the Minister of Finance when he asked the Minister if it is true that a meeting has taken place between the Governor of the Bank of Canada and the general managers of the chartered banks, at which an agreement and arrangement has been entered into that there will be a reduction in current loans. An answer was given to this effect by the Honorable Douglas Abbott: "I understand that on Wednesday the Governor of the Bank of Canada had one of his periodic meetings with the general managers of the chartered banks, at which lending policy was discussed. I have not seen the announcement to which my honorable friend refers, but undoubtedly the banks made some statement as to the credit policy which they will pursue with respect to new loans."

This would indicate, as many of us have long contended, that the prosperity or depression in the economic life of Canada is to some extent controlled by the chartered banks. I leave the rest to your own imagination.

At the present time, Canada is suffering severely from a shortage of railway box cars. In answer to a question, the Minister of Transport announced that every effort is being made to return box cars of Canadian ownership now in the United States. Beginning February 20th, all Canadian box cars on United States lines must be returned empty to Canada.

Another question brought out the fact that 131,947 pensions have been granted to disabled men as the result of World War II. Many veterans are pensioned for more than one disability. Another 27,465 veterans have been granted pensions for pre-war disabilities aggravated by service, but in view of the fact that some receive more than one disability pension, the total number of pensioners of World War II is reduced to 92,510.

A question on the dollar value of

war contracts awarded in the first nine months of this year received the answer:

For Ontario \$214,436,014.47
For Quebec 154,055,843.14
For B. C. 33,574,746.46

Some of the provinces, particularly Saskatchewan, did not fare so well, but the Minister explained that the contracts had been awarded on the basis of the productive capacity and ability of the various provinces to handle the contracts.

These figures would indicate concentration of production in Eastern Canada, and lends power to the argument that some of us have already advanced on the floor of the House, that Canadian industry, particularly any new venture, should be encouraged to disperse. We in the interior of British Columbia are in a particularly favorable position to offer such dispersing industry available sites, ample power, protection from any potential enemy through being established in inaccessible areas from a military point of view.

Leaving the question, we take up the matter of private members' bills, the most interesting of which to my mind was that brought before us by R. R. Knight, Saskatoon, on federal aid for education. This proposed bill has found support among members from all parties, but it is very doubtful if it will have the official support of the government, so that, like many other good proposals, it is doomed for the shelf.

Mr. Knight pointed out that the universities of this country are urgently in need of federal assistance. Their circumstances are such that they cannot carry on without such assistance. During the war we increased both the equipment and staff of our Canadian universities, and the program then carried out was made possible by the very fine work done by the government through DVA in the re-education of young veterans from the field of battle. During this discussion, a great deal of valuable information was placed on the record. It was pointed out that over 130,000 young veterans were given university education that normally would not have been available to them.

The lesson to be derived from this is fairly obvious, that there is a continuous and similar number capable and anxious to enter our universities if facilities, and particularly funds, were made available to them. Our own University of British Columbia amply proved this, when normally about 3500 students attend. Suddenly, with government assistance, that number is boosted up to over 8,000. The great advantage, not only to the students concerned, but to the country at large, of having this increased number of young men well educated and thoroughly trained to meet the problems of life, does not call for any comment, but I do feel that efforts should be made through this proposed federal aid to keep the tempo that we had during the emergency of post-war period through into our normal way of life.

There is still another angle that should be dealt with, and that is the overwhelming burden that is now borne by our municipalities in meeting the cost of education, and a grant may well take the form of some relief to these hard-pressed municipalities.

This Bill has not yet been brought to a vote, and before that, of course, a good deal more will be added to the record as to the need of federal aid for education.

Dental Preventive Service For Schools In North Okanagan

VERNON — Vernon School District Number 23 has agreed to adopt the Preventive Dental Service, outlined through the district to various groups by North Okanagan Health Unit Director, Dr. H. K. Kennedy.

This was revealed by School Board chairman, Michael S. Freeman at the annual meeting of Coldstream Ratepayers recently.

The next step is for the scheme to receive the approval of respective controls concerned, which will ask for the service.

Briefly, the scheme will supply dental services to young children at an annual charge to the parents of \$2. The cost will be spread over the whole district; Coldstream's share for the first year is \$80.20, Mr. Freeman said.

The scheme requires two dental teams to cover the Health Unit and to begin with they would treat pre-school and Grade 1 children only. The cost of such a service is decided on a population basis and as Vernon School District Number 22 has 47.65 per cent of the population of the Health Unit area it would pay 47.65 per cent of the cost or \$1,914 for the first year; \$2,392.50 for the second year; \$2,871 for the third and succeeding years. The total cost per team is \$9,000 a year. For two dental teams the Provincial and Federal grant would be \$14,000 for the first year; \$13,000 the second year and \$12,000 the third and succeeding years.

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Penticton High School Wins Basketball Crown; Hi Lakers Trim Kelowna

The Pen-Hi Lakers wrapped up the Okanagan High School basketball championship over the weekend by running rough-shod over the Kelowna Golden Owls 118 to 71 in the two-game, total point series.

The Lakers will travel to Vancouver for the provincial championship to be run off March 7, 8 and 9 in the new UBC gym.

The first game played Friday night in Penticton saw the Penticton lads romp home with an 80 to 37 win over the game but out-classed Kelowna squad. Kenyon was the chief marksman in this contest, piling up 22 points while bucket man, Boulding, assisted with 17. Ross Lander lead the Kelowna attack with 19 points in the first game and 17 in the second.

REPEATITION
The Kelowna game was a repetition of the performance in Penticton the night before, with Kenyon pacing his mates to an easy 58 to 34 win, to bring the Valley crown to Penticton.

LINEUPS
Friday game in Penticton:
Pen-Hi Lakers: Kenyon, 22; Boulding, 17; Maisonneuve, 2; Foley-Bennett, 9; Johnston, 8; Ball, 4; Jeffrey, Boulding, 2; Guilbault, 4; David Betts — 60.

Kelowna Golden Owls: Lander, 19; Wiens, 11; Paget, 5; Butcher; Scantland; McKenzie; Delcourt, 1; Moore; Greenway — 37.

Saturday's game in Kelowna:
Pen-Hi Lakers: Kenyon, 14; Boulding, 11; Maisonneuve, 9; Foley-Bennett, 2; Johnston, 8; Ball, 5; Boulding, 2; Guilbault, 1; Betts, 6; Jefferys — 58.

Kelowna Golden Owls: Lander, 17; Wiens, 5; Paget, 1; Butcher; Scantland, 5; McKenzie, 2; Delcourt, 4; Moore; Greenway — 34.

A young Canadian-Indian guide-trapper-fisherman at Stewart Falls in the Yukon Territory, "Little Dave" Moses has nailed to his cabin in the hide of a 950-pound grizzly bear killed by him with a single .22 calibre bullet from a distance of 12 feet.

Call-up in Malaya—Kuala Lumpur—The Government of the Federation of Malaya is to call up 20,000 men for service in the security forces.

"Battle Royal!"

Another innovation to the Penticton wrestling scene is slated for the high school gym Monday night when the Peach Festival Association will present for the general edification of local mat fans a bonafide "battle royal".

"This promises to be a bang-up card," smiled promoter Chuck Ewart, evidently pleased with the prospects of witnessing five snarling grapplers in the ring at the same time. Two are entertaining enough but with five of 'em in there . . .

Promoter Ewart is also enthused about the fact that four of the matmen will be making their debuts in a Penticton ring. The new faces will belong to a New Yorker—who is indeed a corker—named Johnny Szikay; Glen Stone from Olympia, Washington; Ralph Loffer of Portland and Lionel Hanken, Vancouver.

All currently plying their trades in the Pacific Northwest circuit, they will appear with the local darling, L'il Abner, and venerable Cliff Parker, who might forget himself in his role as referee and join in the fray.

In a sense, the battle royal offers to the matmen an opportunity to fight it out for top billing. The first one to suffer a fall is finished for the evening. He'll change into street clothes and take things easy in a ringside seat, signing the odd program and, chewing on a cigar.

The next two to be eliminated will fight the semi-final and the lofty spot on the wrestling card will be awarded to the two standing on their feet.

Promoter Ewart anticipates another full house, warns fans to be in their seats at 8:00 p.m. Admission is \$1 for adults, 50 cents for students 14 and under.

Interior Baseball League Moguls Meet

Representatives from Princeton, Rutland, Revelstoke, Salmon Arm, North Kamloops and Kamloops CYO baseball teams met in Vernon Sunday to elect officers for the Interior Baseball League for the 1951 season.

Art Gray of Rutland was elected president of the league, W. A. Keith McAllister of Kamloops is the vice-president. The appointment of a secretary-treasurer from Rutland is pending.

Regular league play will begin April 29.

Other possible entrants in the league are Vernon, Keremeos and Hedley.

Princeton Tops School Ski Meet

The third annual running of the Okanagan Valley high school meet was blessed with ideal snow weather conditions Sunday and over 200 spectators were on hand to watch the youngsters on slats do their stuff.

The Princeton high school narrowly shaded the Summerland school and Kelowna was a distant third and last. Following are the results. High aggregate for schools:

1, Princeton, 260; 2, Summerland, 250.8 points; 3, Kelowna, 61.16 points.

SENIOR BOYS COMBINED

1, Daryl Weltzel, 139.68; 2, Ron Macaulay, 129.20; 3, Ralph de Puyffor, 122.08.

SENIOR GIRLS COMBINED

1, Jane Corbett, 139 points; 2, Ruth Kilx, 116.24; 3, Florence Cameron, 112.8.

JUNIOR BOYS COMBINED

1, S. Muir, 130; 2, J. Francis, 118.32; 3, L. Kilx, 107.36.

JUNIOR BOYS DOWNHILL

1, S. Muir, Princeton, 1:15 3/5; 2, G. Francis, Princeton, 1:18; 3, L. Kilx, Summerland, 1:22 1/5.

JUNIOR BOYS SLALOM

1, S. Muir, Princeton, 1:57 3/5; 2, B. Green, Princeton, 2:09 1/5; 3, J. Francis, Princeton, 2:24 2/5.

SENIOR GIRLS DOWNHILL

1, J. Corbett, Penticton, 1:24; 2, R. Kilx, Summerland, 1:33 1/5; 3, F. Cameron, Princeton, 1:54.

SENIOR GIRLS SLALOM

1, J. Corbett, Penticton, 2:15 3/5; 2, F. Cameron, Princeton, 2:28 3/5; 3, R. Kilx, Summerland, 2:40.

SENIOR BOYS DOWNHILL

1, D. Weltzel, Summerland, 1:30 4/5; 2, R. Macaulay, Princeton, 2:00; 3, R. dePuyffor, Kelowna, 2:05 2/5.

SENIOR BOYS SLALOM

1, R. Macaulay, Princeton, 1:29 3/5; 2, D. Weltzel, Summerland, 1:30 2/5; 3, R. dePuyffor, Kelowna, 1:42.

ANNUAL MEET SPORTSMAN'S ASS'N FRIDAY

Election of officers will take top billing tomorrow night when members of the Penticton Sportsman's Association assemble in the Canadian Legion hall for their annual meeting.

They will discuss the highlights of 1950, which featured for the first time sponsorship of the Junior Sportsman's Group, an affiliate of the Junior Forest Wardens. About 130 boys are enrolled in the course, designed to foster among the younger set the importance of conservation. It is reported, incidentally, that conservation will be added to school curricula next year.

At the get-together, two delegates will be appointed to attend the 22nd annual convention of the B.C. Interior Fish, Game and Forest Protective Association, slated for Vernon on March 18 and 19. Resolutions from this convention will be forwarded to the Provincial Convention to be held in Vancouver in April.

The local Association is enthused about the fact that the B.C. Zones Council is making progress in endeavors to publish a magazine this year. It will be controlled by and devoted to the interests of sportsmen.

Though publication of the magazine will mean an increase in membership fees, Association leaders are convinced that it will cost less than the current sale of pleasant stamps for revenue purposes and will ensure a permanent system of financing the B.C. Fish and Game Council.

Roeg's Gallery

By Dave Roegle

Are you one of those people who are of the opinion that hockey arenas don't make money? Well, don't feel bad, about it because you're not the only one. As a matter of fact, up until a few days ago I thought the same thing.

Like a lot of other human beings I felt that Penticton's Arena would prove a short cut to the poor house. This very definitely is not the case and there are facts and figures to back this up. While we are not claiming that the rink will make enough money to pay for the purchase of a new set of road surfaces for our town out of the excess profits that will be kicking around, the arena stands a very good chance of taking care of itself financially. This you must admit is a far cry from the popular belief. Some people who are supposedly "in the know" (coast sports writers included) are walling and gnashing their teeth to the tune of a new familiar melody. It would be quite "jolly" if we had an intermediate league.

Then we could save a lot of money by not having to pay players' salaries, because Uncle Louis has always said he'd be glad to play for free, and there are lots of fellows just like him. Uncle Louis is from the prairies and played hockey with the old Regina Rink Rats. He would be delighted to dig out his old turtle neck sweater and C.C.M.'s and pitch in to help Penticton make a hockey team. We'd like to have him, too . . . but people wouldn't pay money to see fellows like "our Unc" play. If we are going to have a team there is no two ways about it, it must be a good one, the same calibre as now exists in the Okanagan-Mahline League . . . and even old Uncle Louis would have to admit that "them fellers are a little too fast for me."

Well, as I was saying . . . if we can get a team like this, and we can . . . you can stay biting your nails. Penticton's Arena is not going to break the city and everybody in it as some would have us believe.

The Kelowna, Vernon and Kamloops arenas are doing all right. The hockey clubs are doing all right, and turning over quite a sum to sustain the arenas. With a bit of luck, the right team, and your support, we'll make out in the hockey and arena business in Penticton. But we'll need all three . . . Uncle Louis doesn't need to go into a "snit" either because there'll be a league that he can play in, and I'll be on the same team.

If you have an old clunk that is capable of making a few trips with basketball players, it would be very much appreciated if you would phone Walter Penny during the day at 669 and let him know when you would be available . . . Stan Kelly made his return to the basketball scene last Sunday night and the "new giant money shot" not quite as sharp as he entered the game during the Omega's strip. For a few minutes he looked like the Kelly of old, then as time wore on he looked like "old Kelly" . . . I'm just kidding Stan, there are fatter guys than you . . . I just can't think of who they are right now, but I'm sure there are. The same Fishman is capable of some good ball and may have an opportunity to prove it before the season is over.

I guess we'll close up shop with a reminder to turn out for the basketball games next week and give the fellows your support.

Penticton Herald - SPORTS



HERE ARE THREE of the California All-Stars plotting with their coach the strategy which will be revealed next Wednesday and Thursday nights at the school gym when they tangle with the vaunted Cranna's Omegas, now prepping for defense of the provincial Senior "B" basketball championship. The All-Stars, recognized as the outstanding eagers in the entire state of California, showed plenty of talent when they walloped the Pen-Hi Lakers quintet two weeks ago.

Omegas To Tangle With California All-Star Team

A "must" for local basketball fans is the two-game series Wednesday and Thursday nights at the school gym featuring the classy California All-Stars and Cranna's Omegas.

The Americans displayed a heaping bag of ball-handling and shooting tricks in their contest with the Pen-Hi Lakers two weeks ago when they walked their way to a 71-48 victory. They'll need all those tricks for this series. For the opposition is the club which is

gunning once more for the B.C. senior "B" title.

The All-Stars, chosen by mentors as the cream of California's 1951 cage crop to make a tour of Western Canada, feature plenty of height and an array of prolific scorers. But the Omegas aren't exactly second-raters themselves . . . and they'll be going all out to ready their roster for the Interior championships against the Kamloops Rainbows.

Title-Hunting Omegas Top Oroville Seniors In Rough Exhibition

Cranna's Omegas proved their versatility in the exhibition game with the Oroville seniors here Saturday night, out-bumping the Americans 69 to 55. Omegas showed the good crowd of city fans that they can play rough if it is necessary and the local club matched the men from the south thump for thump and still managed to come out on top of the score, thanks to some fine long shots.

AN EXTRA PUNCH
Aubrey Powell and Bill Raptis were consistently "on" with their set shots and Bud Tidball exploded with the extra punch that wrapped the game up for the team that has designs on another B.C. Crown.

Powell was top man in the scoring with 17 points. Tidball opened for 14 in the second half and Raptis scored 14. Bill Raptis accounted for 12 points, while checking Oroville's "big wheel", Nelson, who led the attack for the losers with 19.

The game opened rough and stayed that way until the final gong despite the efforts of Referee Eschleman and Drossos who doled out 19 free throws to the Oroville team and 17 to Penticton.

CLOSE FIRST HALF

The first half was very close as the lead switched back and forth between the two determined teams. Oroville took the lead with just five minutes remaining in the first half, but Aubrey Powell came through to bump the score up to 29 to 27 at the whistle.

Bill Raptis was forced to rest a while in the second half as his cheek, Nelson, a master in the art of drawing fouls, had caused four black marks to rest opposite Bill's name on the score sheet. The score continued to see-saw back and forth until Bud Tidball exploded with a roar and dropped them in from all angles to score 14 of his night's 10 points.

ROUGH HOUSE TACTICS

With Bud hot up-front and McCannion turning in a great performance on the rear guard, the Omegas shot ahead, not to the liking of some of the visitors who resorted to rough-house tactics that didn't pay off in an effort to stop the run-away.

The pace grew hotter, as did the tempers of the Americans, but the Omegas continued to pour on the cord right down to the wire.

PRELIMINARY GAME
The Preliminary contest was all down-hill for the UCT's as they walked to a 71 to 30 win over the Oroville high school squad.

Daryl Eschleman turned in a good game for the winners. The rugged sharp-shooter tallied 10 points to lead the attack for the Penticton gang assisted by Nondis, who was responsible for 13 points. Hildebrand was the high scorer for the Washington team with 10.

LINEUPS
Cranna's Omegas: Raptis 14, Mc-

Kelowna Packers Win Protest Against Vernon

KELOWNA—A protest by Kelowna Packers over Vernon Canadians' use of Stan Jones, formerly of the Saskatoon Quakers, in a game at Kelowna Thursday night, has been upheld by Dr. Mel Butler, president

of the Mahline-Okanagan Amateur Hockey League.
B.C. Amateur Hockey Association President Gerry Thomson earlier had ruled Jones was ineligible.
The decision reverses the outcome of Thursday night's Vernon-Kelowna game won by Vernon 7-6 in overtime.

Penticton Sportsman's Association

Annual General MEETING

Canadian Legion, 8 p.m.



FRIDAY, MARCH 2nd - 1951

Agenda includes: President's Report
Auditor's Report
Appointment of Auditor
Election of Officers for 1951
Discussion re distribution of fingerlings from Summerland Hatchery for 1951

A full turn-out of all members is requested.

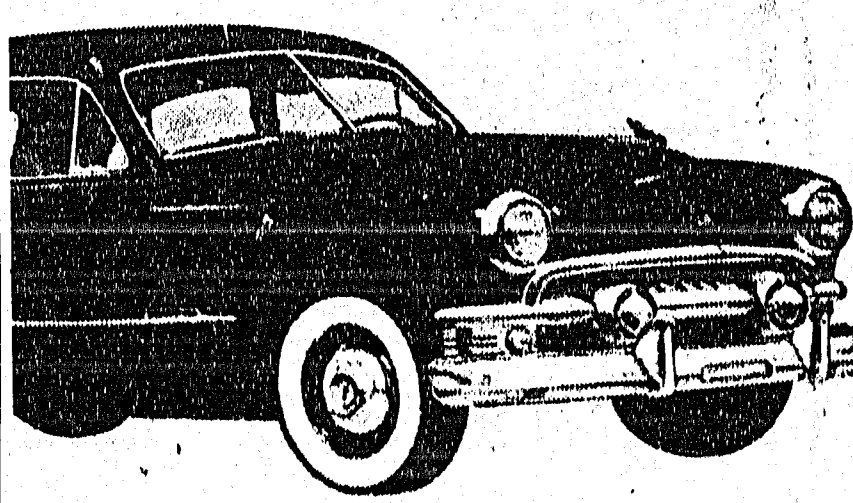
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Preliminary March 8th (8:00 p.m.)
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Penticton Int. B's vs. Penticton U.C.T.'s
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Big Increase In Tourist Travel During January

Recreational travel to British Columbia during the month of January showed a heavy increase over the same month last year, it was disclosed in figures released by the Honorable Leslie H. Eyres, minister of trade and industry.

During the last month a total of

6,796 foreign vehicles entered British Columbia customs ports on traveller's vehicle permits as compared to 2,334 in the same period of 1950, an increase of 4,462 vehicles, or a percentage increase of 191 per cent.

Sherlock Holmes at F.O.B.—Marylebone, London, is to spend £3,500 on its Sherlock Holmes Exhibition for the Festival of Britain.

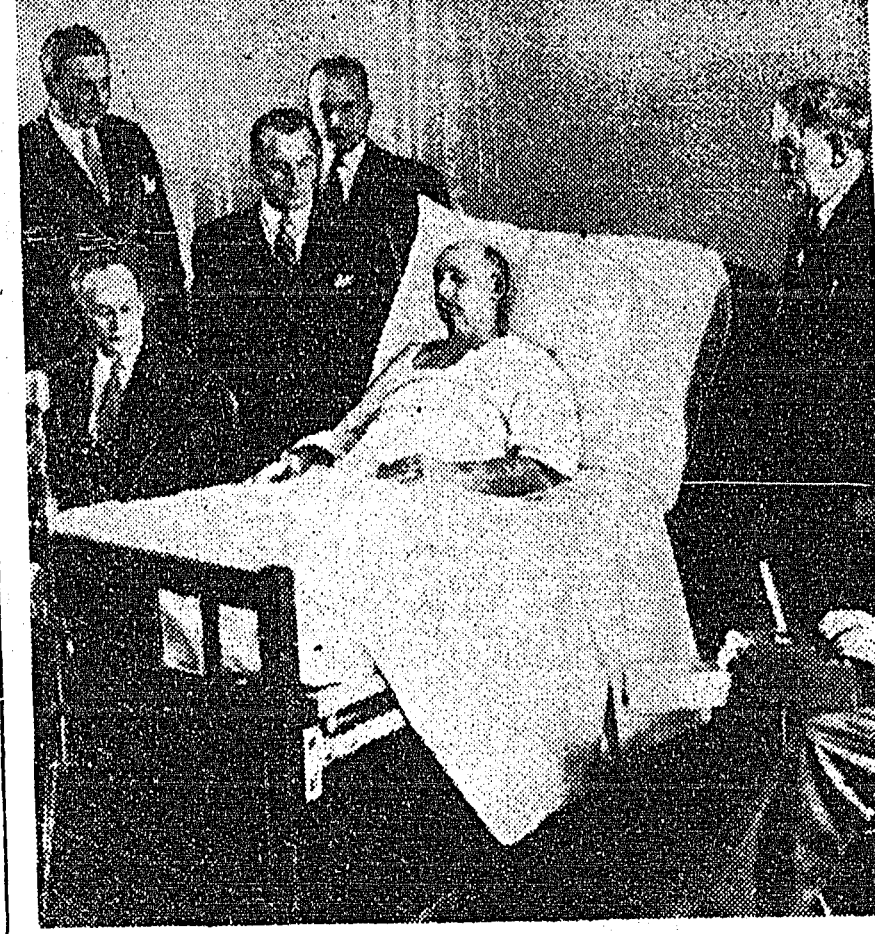
More Shale Ordered For City's Streets

Authorized by council at its meeting Monday night was the purchase of 500 yards of shale which will be dumped on Pentiction roads.

This followed a report from acting city engineer R. A. Barton of dumping activities last week by the works department which disclosed

that seven yards of shale were placed on Front street; 20 on Railway street; 57 on Moose Jaw street; 59 on Hastings street; 147 on Nelson avenue; 83 on Forest Brook drive; 46 on Municipal avenue and ten yards on the sidewalk between Edna and Pentiction avenues on Main street.

Total shale used 429 yards.



JOSEPH H. FITZSIMMONS, engineer of the Pennsylvania Railroad train which crashed in nearby Woodbridge, killing 83 persons and injuring 500, is interviewed by John E. Boswell, president of the state public utilities commission; assistant Middlesex county prosecutor Alexander Eber; Joseph W. Levy, U.S. Senator Hendrickson's counsel; and Commissioner William J. Patterson in hospital at South Amboy, N.J.

OMEGAS FACE KAMLOOPS ON TITLE TRAIL

The Kamloops Rainbows made short work of the Kelowna Bears in the Senior "B" basketball playoffs for the right to meet Pentiction's Omegas.

In the first game played in Kelowna, Saturday, the Kamloops crew defeated the home team, 63 to 39. The second of the most-points series was played in Kamloops, Monday, and again, the Rainbows came out on top, this time with a 24-point margin.

The northern city crew was led by Gordon McQuarrie who scored 18 points, downing the visitors from Kelowna, 50-26.

The Omegas travel to Kamloops on Saturday for the first contest of the two-game series with the Rainbows for the Interior Championship. The second game will be played in Pentiction one week later.

Care of the teeth should begin at an early age. Parents should take their children to the dentist regularly, starting when the youngsters are three years old.

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Eight Clubs Entered In Okanagan International Baseball League

Czar of the Okanagan International Baseball League for the 1951 season is W. Eldrid of Omak, Washington.

He was elected president at a meeting of league officials held in Tohasket on Sunday afternoon. Others on his slate: Dr. R. Gill of Coulee Dam, vice-president, and George "Scotty" Gordon, repeating in the role of secretary treasurer.

The circuit, which has its opening day slated for April 29th, will be affiliated with the National Baseball Congress this year and consist of eight clubs: Pentiction, Symmerland, Princeton, Omak, Coulee Dam, Tohasket, Brewster and Mansfield.

The Oliver Elks will compete during the 1951 campaign in the newly-formed Okanagan-Mainline League, which will also feature a Pentiction aggregation.

Tenders For Kelowna's New Curling Rink Will Be Called For Next Week

KELOWNA—Tenders for the construction of the new curling rink on the civic centre property will be called on March 5, it was revealed this morning.

At the same time it was announced that electrical, heating and plumbing sub-trade contracts have been awarded which will ensure the club of being able to obtain materials which are becoming increasingly hard to get and which will make it easier for the general contractor to figure on building estimates.

Members of the City Council, Parks Board and Kelowna Curling Club officials will meet shortly to "spot" the building on civic centre property. The Canadian Ice Company already is at work cutting and selecting 22,000 feet of used pipe purchased last December by the club from the Peerless Pipe Co. of Kelowna, with a view to cleaning, painting and storing the material in readiness for installation this summer when the building is completed.

FOUR-SHEET RINK
The structure will be a four-sheet rink, complete with club rooms and a heated glassed-in observation bleacher. The walk will be constructed with pumice blocks and reinforced with concrete footings; the roof, a truss arrangement affording a 56x145 foot clear area of ice.

The executive also announced that the recent membership drive has reached the 200 objective. However, a few members will still be added to the list as it was found that some individuals bought membership only to ensure construction of the project, and do not intend to play. It was pointed out there will also be a spare list composed of curlers who

do not wish to participate in a regular draw, but who would be willing to curl on special occasions and fill in, in the event of a regular player being sick or out of town. All of which, it was stated, enables the club to proceed with good backing, but does not preclude any curler joining who is still desirous of becoming a member.

NEARING OBJECTIVE

The club at the moment is not far short of its anticipated financial objective. It will be necessary to raise some money through the sale of bonds to completely finance the project, but the picture looks exceedingly bright, it was stated.

Percy McCallum has been engaged by the club to finalize the last portion of the financial chapter.

Tractors En Route to Canada—Ferguson tractors have already earned \$20 million for Britain. 70 more are on the high seas, bound for Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

Strikes and Spares

Efforts are being made to form a mixed bowling league in the Bowl-A-Mor five pin league. Last day for entries is March 9 and it is hoped that games will start in the second week in March.

Some fine scores were recorded in the Pentiction commercial ten-pin bowling league at the Bowl-A-Mor Monday night. Keweenaw Bowling rolled the high score for one game—881—and their opponents, Clarke's Building Supplies, were credited with the high for three games with a 2503. In the individual department, Tom Pringle rolled a 223 for the high single and Reg. Hunter took the high for three games with 601.

Following are the standings in this league:

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Incoln Chiefs	14
McClure Motors	12
Keweenaw Bowling	11
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Commodore Cafe	10
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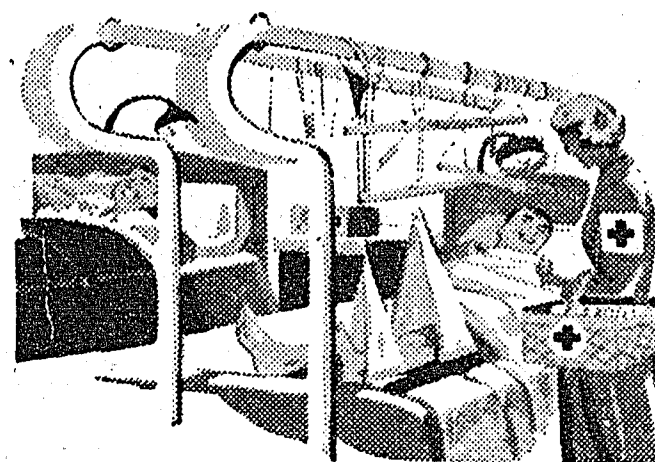
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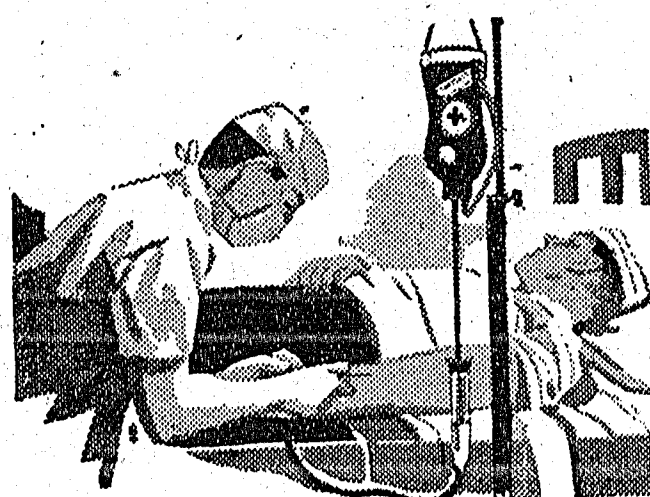
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* *Free Blood transfusion service*

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Pre-Convention Meet**

A pre-provincial convention conference has been arranged by the executive of the Yale CCF Club.

At a meeting of the executive last Sunday, it was decided that the conference will be held here on Sunday, April 1, in order that delegates to the provincial gathering, scheduled for Vancouver in May, will be able to discuss the resolutions prior to their presentation at Vancouver.

**Alaska Highway
Film At Kaleden**

Friday in the Kaleden Community hall Lt.-Col. A. K. Robertson gave an interesting lecture accompanied by two films on the building of the Alaska Highway.

A good crowd including a large number from Penticton were in attendance. Lt.-Col. Robertson was executive

officer to Major-General W. W. Foster, special commissioner for defence projects in North West Canada, during the building of the highway.
H. Almack was projectionist for the film.**PER CAPITA COMPARISON**

"Canadians have a bad habit of estimating their accomplishments in American values. If they habitually made comparisons on a per capita basis, a lot of inferiority would vanish."

**Everybody In Tourist Business
Kelowna Gathering Is Informed**

KELOWNA—"Everyone is in the tourist business."

So stated Chester G. Kimm, managing secretary, Wenatchee Chamber of Commerce, when he addressed a special dinner meeting of the Kelowna Board of Trade last week in the Royal Anne Hotel.

President C. G. Beeston was in the chair. Acting-Mayor J. J. Ladd extended a welcome on behalf of the city.

Topic of Mr. Kimm's address was "The Tourist Dollar," which the speaker termed "a very elastic subject" with statistics necessary to tell the story.

Showing just how important tourists are to the economy of his state, Mr. Kimm said that it was the second largest industry with \$122,700,000 being spent last year.

"No matter who you are, you are in the tourist business," he said. "Tourist business is big business, a good will builder," he added.

That tourists are important was clearly shown by the detailed information the speaker revealed to those present. For instance, of the 230,000 who crossed the line at Oroville last year, 45 percent came to Wenatchee. And how do they travel, that is, tourists in general? Eighty-four percent travel by car, 6 percent by bus, 4 percent by train.

Mr. Kimm could not account for the missing 6 percent. Perhaps they are hitch-hikers.

And where do tourists stay? Sixty percent at hotels and motels.

Nineteen percent with friends and relatives.

Three percent at trailer courts. Fourteen percent camp out.

TOURIST DOLLAR

While Mr. Kimm stated at the commencement of his address that he was not trying to lure anyone to Wenatchee, the colorful slides presented beautiful views of numerous attractions that were an invitation to do so.

"How worthwhile is it to go after the tourist dollar?" asked the speaker. He answered his own query with figures that were indeed impressive, figures that showed that everyone benefits from the tourist industry.

Of the many millions spent last year in the friendly state to the south, \$38,800,000 was spent on food. Other expenditures were: lodging \$27,900,000; souvenirs \$14,100,000; entertainment \$10,400,000; transportation \$25,000,000; clothing \$6,500,000.

And how can we persuade tourists to leave their dollars with us? "Courtesy," said Mr. Kimm, "is the most important thing. They will remember it a long time, but they will also remember discourtesy a lot longer."

"They must be given service, welcomed, and leave with good will."

While there are many who undoubtedly do not realize that they are in the tourist business, a review of what happens to a dollar bill in a community shows that everyone does indeed benefit, directly or indirectly.

Thirty-two cents goes for food. Twenty-three cents for lodging. Twelve cents for souvenirs, etc. Eight cents for entertainment. Five cents for clothing.

"Every dollar spent by tourists creates \$7 worth of new business in the community where it is spent," said Mr. Kimm.

TOURIST TIPS
How to cater to this lucrative tourist business was, according to the distinguished tourist authority, relatively simple.

"First be courteous and friendly," he said.

"Then, know your community! Be able to answer questions, be thoroughly conversant with everything about the city and district. If in doubt, contact your Kelowna Board of Trade, get folders, study them. Remember, this builds goodwill."

"Take an active interest in the Board of Trade. Conduct surveys. Stage attractions such as your celebrated Regatta."

"Work with your neighbors. Maintain an alert tourist information centre."

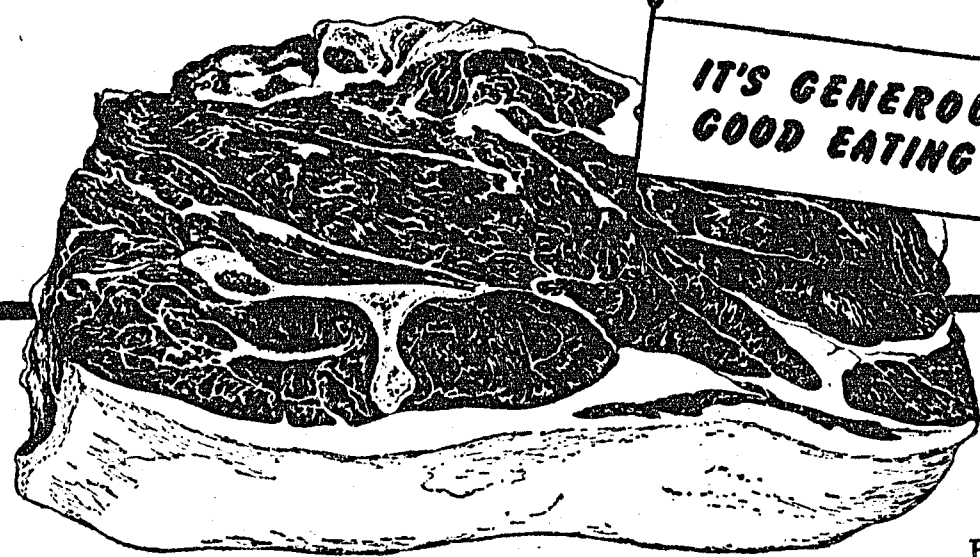
"It doesn't matter who you are, you are in the tourist business. You may be clerk at a counter, a gas station attendant, a waitress, a bellhop, passer-by on the street, a taxi driver, a manager. Regardless of your occupation, you are vitally concerned with tourist business because it is big business and benefits all."

And how do tourists rate as far as earning and spending power is concerned? These facts were also readily available.

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The largest group is in the \$3,000 to \$5,000 a year class. Eighteen percent are under \$3,000 while 20 percent earn from \$5,000 to \$10,000 annually.

Anglo-US Exercise in Mediterranean—The British Mediterranean and Home Fleets and the US 6th Fleet will hold joint exercises in the Mediterranean on February 12-13.

Vessels ranging from carriers and heavy cruisers down to frigates and other small craft, as well as planes, land-based flying boats and carrier-based aircraft will take part.

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"I had a terrible itching skin condition for years. I tried everything, but nothing helped. Then I used 'Itch Away' and the itching stopped. I was nearly crazy with the itch, but now I'm happy and healthy. 'Itch Away' is the only remedy for itching skin. It's a miracle. I can't say enough for it. It's the best thing I ever used. I'm happy and healthy now. I'm glad I found 'Itch Away'."—Mrs. J. J. Ladd, Kelowna, B.C.**SAVE 10¢**
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Pastry Flour Wind Rose, 7 lb. sack 53c
Seedless Raisins Australian, 4 lb. bag 75c
Pitted Dates Martini, 16 oz. cello 30c**Miscellaneous**
Macaroni Catelli, Cut, 5 lb. pkt. 71c
Kraft Dinner 7 1/2 oz. pkt. 2 for 27c
Jelly Powders Empress, 3 1/2 oz. 3 for 20c
Mixed Pickles Nalleys Sweet, 24 oz. Jar 47c
Tomato Ketchup Heinz, 13 oz. Bottle 27c
Cocktail Onions Hothooks, 7 oz. Bottle 25c**Household**
Facial Soap Woodburies 10c
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Swifts Cleaners 2 for 25c
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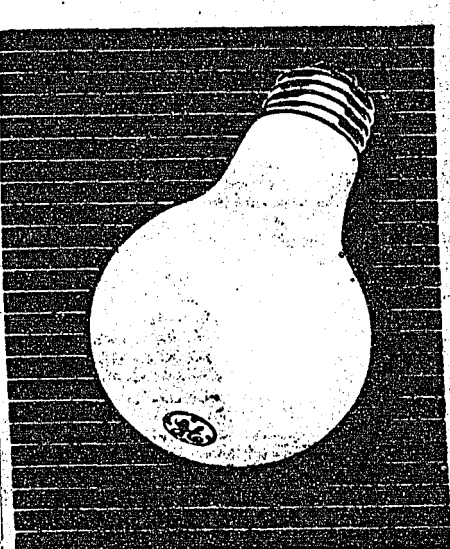
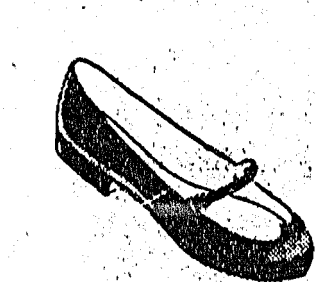
37¢**★ Potatoes** No. 2 Drybelts 100 lb. Sack **\$3.00****★ Oranges** Sunlight Navels **lb. 11¢****★ Turnips** Washed **lb. 4¢****Carrots** Calif. New, Snap-Top 2 lbs. 15c
Bean Sprouts 8 oz. Pkg. 12c
Parsnips California 1 lb. 13c
Radishes Firm, Crisp - bunch 9c
Green Onions bunch 7c
Salad Mix 7 oz. Pkg. 16c
Grapes Calif. Emperor, No. 1 1 lb. 15c
Oranges Mexican Valencia 1 lb. 10c
Cabbage California, New 1 lb. 17c
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A total of \$11,865,141.06 has been paid out in advance on fruit so far this season and allocated to the various packing houses. This was reported in the February 27 bulletin of B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. The amounts disbursed in December, 1950 and in January and February of this year plus the amount previously reported, follow:

Previously reported	\$ 7,992,902.03
December 23, 1950	772,202.94
January 5, 1951	791,204.40
January 10, 1951	212,529.69
January 19, 1951	800,756.20
January 29, 1951	806,662.49
February 5, 1951	69,406.63
February 15, 1951	398,976.66
Total	11,835,141.06

Advances on Vegetables paid to Shippers to date amount to **1,577,369.34**
\$13,412,510.40**NARAMATA BABY CLINIC**

The regular monthly "well baby" and pre-school clinic will be held in the Naramata Community Hall, Tuesday, March 6, from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

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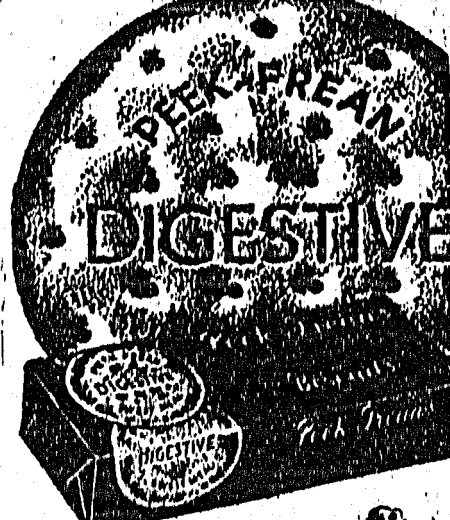


City of Penticton Notice — Fire Permits

After March 1st, 1951, Fire Permits must be secured before lighting open fires within the Municipal limits. Please do not burn after dark. Please read your Permit.

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Investment Diary

For week ending 26th February, 1951

The following information is supplied to us each week by
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MARKET AVERAGES (bracketed figures indicate change for week):

	Toronto	New York
Industrials	331.04 (+2.29)	253.18 (+1.51)
Gold	93.08 (+0.41)	
Base Metals	187.37 (+2.48)	
Rails		86.30 (-0.34)

SOME DIVIDEND DECLARATIONS:

	Rate	Payable	ex-Dividend
Aluminum Ltd.	\$0.75 US	5 Mar.	3 Feb.
Argus Corp. Com.	.15	1 Mar.	30 Jan.
Argus Corp. Pfd.	1.12%	1 Mar.	30 Jan.
Bank of Montreal	.25	1 Mar.	30 Jan.
B.C. Packers Ltd. "A"	.37%	15 Mar.	27 Feb.
B.C. Packers Ltd. "B"	.32%	15 Mar.	27 Feb.
Canada & Dom. Sugar	.25	1 Mar.	8 Feb.
C.P.R.	1.00	28 Feb.	28 Dec. 50
Cockshutt Plow Co.	.40	1 Mar.	31 Jan.
Ford Motor "A" & "B"	\$0.150	9 Mar.	8 Feb.
Gypsum, Lime & Alabastine	.40	1 Mar.	31 Jan.
Inter. Utilities	.30	1 Mar.	1 Feb.
McIntyre Porcupine Mines	.50%	1 Mar.	31 Jan.
Nat. Drug & Chem. Pfd.	.15	1 Mar.	8 Feb.
Royal Bank of Canada	.25	1 Mar.	30 Jan.
Rayolite Oil Co.	.06%	1 Mar.	15 Feb.
Standard Chem. Com.	.12%	1 Mar.	30 Jan.
Trans-Canada "B"	.416	1 Mar.	28 Feb. Cpr 13
United Corp. "B"	.35 + .70	28 Feb.	30 Jan.

BOND REDEMPTIONS: (Interest ceases on dates shown)
Dom. of Can. War Savings Certs., dated 15 Sept. 1943, on 15 March 1951 @ 100%.

STOCK REDEMPTIONS, RIGHTS, Etc., Dividends cease on dates shown.
Thrifty Stores Rights to purchase 1 new sh. @ 11% for each 3 now held. Rights expire 9th March.

From the files of the
Penticton Herald

TEN YEARS AGO—1941

John Atkins was expected to leave to join the 5th Canadian Motor Cycle Regiment. Penticton had 737 regular purchasers of war saving stamps, according to a report from W. Fletcher, secretary of the local group. "Bill" Guérard, president of the local Junior Chamber of Commerce, extended an invitation to civic officials to attend the annual banquet of the local chamber. Penticton hospital board learned that Premier T. D. Pattullo had declined to grant Penticton the requested \$10,000 for the local hospital. Frank McDonald, manager of the Pyramid Co-op, suggested that an experimental pack be made up. The suggestion entailed the use of six five pound bags of apples to a box. Several of the trial packs were sent to Calgary. Penticton Badminton Club won the Valley Shield at Kelowna. The Penticton players won all the doubles events, taking the

shield from Summerland. Penticton council split the vote on the question of whether Eaton's mail order service should be allowed in this city. A unanimous vote was required to prevent the company operating here.

TWENTY YEARS AGO—1931

An enraged bull "tread" owner T. Partington on his barn roof. The police came, bringing Curt Miller who dispatched the animal with the second shot from his rifle. Water rationing was expected to be introduced in Oliver owing to the low level of the lake. Reeve Macdonald and Councillor Andrews acted as a special committee to buy land for the airport site. Nearly 12 acres were purchased from T. H. Richardson, Payson Smith and T. Partington. Mr. Weaver addressed the local branch of the B.C. Music Teachers' Federation on French music. The Rev. H. Feir spoke to the Oliver Women's Association, on Japan. Game Warden Charles Shuttlesworth and his dog tracked down an eight foot cougar in the Smith Creek area near Princeton. Street lighting was installed in Naramata. Co-operative pools for Jonathan apples were closed and it was expected that the local growers would receive about 35 cents a box.

THIRTY YEARS AGO—1921
A. R. Lord, public schools inspector, wrote to the Penticton school board complimenting the teachers at Ellis school on their high standards of efficiency. A \$4000 X-ray machine was ordered by the Penticton hospital board. Nearly \$3,000 were available towards meeting the cost. A woman was arrested in connection with the fires that had broken out in Naramata. Suspecting arson, the police chased the woman to Peachland where she was arrested in the cabin of a lake boat. G. W. Cole directed the placing of the cement footing for the Cawston Community Hall. J. Parrot, municipal taxmaster, was appointed superintendent of roads at a salary of \$140 a month. At the same meeting council decided that workmen would, in future, be paid by the hour or by the day. Constance Talmadge was starring in "Good References" at the Empress Theatre. Members of the Presbyterian choir were the guests of honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Berry at the show "Peter Piper's Troubles". After the show the guests were entertained in the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Berry. A representative of the Dominion Express Company announced that a large area of Penticton would be served by a free delivery. The contract was awarded to R. Parmenter.

Forty years ago—1911
J. J. Hunter, bank manager, gave one acre of land to the city to be developed as a park on Westminster avenue. Mr. Hunter was offering a prize of \$5 for a suitable name for the pond at the site. Penticton Council accepted the resignation of Constable Agnew. Councillor Weeks suggested that two constables be hired, one for day duty, one for night. The councillor declared that the many wooden structures in the city constituted a great fire hazard. H. S. Laidman was appointed water foreman on the Ellis Creek system at a salary of \$4 a day. J. W. Jackson was appointed foreman for the Penticton Creek system at a salary of \$125 a month. The appointments were made after tenders had been voted on by council. The Rev. Faith entertained 50 young people at his birthday celebrations.

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THE SHAH OF IRAN (right) married the beautiful granddaughter of a once-rebellious Persian tribal chieftain, the 19-year-old Soraya Esfandiari (left), recently at Tehran. It was the second marriage for the 32-year-old king of kings, Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi.

Kamloops City Council Rejects School Board Estimates, Too High

KAMLOOPS — Kamloops School District No. 24's 1951 budget was rejected by City Council last night. The action was taken on the recommendation of the Finance Committee, headed by Ald. Wilf Jordan.

It is the unanimous view of the committee that the school budget is "beyond the ability of the City of Kamloops to pay and still maintain the basic essential services to operate the city," Ald. Jordan said.

"The committee also declared that last year's school costs likewise exceeded the city's ability to pay. Next step will be the formal notification to the School Board of the city's refusal to pay the demand. Subsequently an arbitration board will be created, composed of one person nominated by City Council, one by the School Board, and a neutral chairman chosen by the other two.

This action taken last week affects only the city's liability under the School Board budget. The rural area's share of school costs was discussed Saturday afternoon when Local Attendance Area Representatives met to consider the School Board's 1951 budget. The rural share is \$176,005.11. It has been unofficially calculated that despite the eight-mill ceiling on general expenditures,

The Rev. Miller won a volume of poems in a contest, and Messrs. Basham and Pitman presented Mr. Falls with an oak chair and an umbrella stand on behalf of the guests. The Lakeshore Telephone Company planned to erect a new office on Main street. After seven years in the Government Telephone service C. S. Stevens retired with the intention of devoting all his time to the Lakeshore company.

which the Provincial Government has given to rural property owners during the last few years, the rural owner's school-tax rate this year will be 15 mills.

The School Board's 1951 budget totals \$554,522.51, of which \$169,984.89 must be provided by the city. The aldermen have estimated this will require a tax-levy of 33 mills. The city's share of the 1950 budget of \$422,010.25 was \$124,901.31 and required the levying last year of a school-rate of 24.7 mills.

The City Council's decision to reject the school board budget followed a conference last Monday night with the school trustees and a detailed study of the situation at a finance committee meeting on Tuesday night.

The items in the budget were discussed, point by point during Monday night's meeting with the school board when, as Ald. W. Ray Turner, a member of the finance committee reported last night, "the trustees argued gracefully and strongly that each item of expenditure was necessary." Continued Ald. Turner: "There may be very little we can lay our hands on in the way of reduction of this budget, but we feel we have reached the maximum we want to impose on our citizens as school-tax." Ald. Turner echoed the sentiment of a Burnaby alderman when that group received the Burnaby School District budget this week. Said the Burnaby: "Such an impact upon the city's finances would be atomic."

Ald. J. H. Giddens, another finance committee member, declared that at the present rate of increase in school-taxes there will be nothing left two years hence for the maintenance of the city.

Questions Ability Of Police To Assess Speed Of Moving Car

The ability of the police to assess the speed of a moving car was questioned in police court Monday when Peter Pashak of Penticton appeared before Magistrate G. A. McLelland and pleaded not guilty to a charge of speeding.

The accused was found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of \$15 and costs. Police witness stated that he and another constable were sitting in a police car at the corner of Wade avenue and Main street when they saw a car pass on Main street going north, at a speed they estimated at between 40 and 45 miles per hour.

The car passed several other vehicles before making a U-turn in the 200 block and returning south. The accused was apprehended outside the post office.

This was corroborated by the other officer. In his defence, Pashak declared that the police could not judge his speed properly from a stationary vehicle in a side street and he declared that he was never travelling at more than 30 miles an hour. "I was just cruising, looking for a friend," he said.

The Red Cross Outpost Hospital on wheels — a car provided by the CNR — is in its 24th year of providing medical services to outlying communities in Ontario.

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Two interesting motion pictures, "The Search for Security" and "The New North", were presented at the luncheon meeting of the Rotary Club held in the Incola Hotel on Monday. The pictures were exhibited in a program arranged by T. Everett Craig and C. B. Ewart.

John Powers, of Prince Edward Island, was fined \$10 and costs when he appeared before Magistrate G. A. McLelland in police court, Monday, and pleaded guilty to a charge of intoxication.

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Orangemen Hold District Meeting

Members of the Similkameen County's Loyal Orange Lodge met in the IOOF hall here last week to conduct the business of their annual meeting, the feature of which was the installation of L. B. Fuls, Peachland, as worshipful district and county master.

Other officers elected were: M. Loyot, Kelowna, deputy master; Rev. John Goodfellow, Princeton, chaplain; C. V. Prosser, Princeton, recording secretary; H. Walton, Summerland, financial secretary; treasurer: G. A. Taylor, Princeton; marshal: D. Taylor, Summerland; first lecturer: M. Crocker, Penticton; second lecturer: Lyle Campbell and G. A. Taylor, both of Summerland; auditors: G. Swigart, Penticton, inside tyler and R. Miller, Princeton, outside tyler.

Represented at the gathering were members of lodges in Kamloops, Vernon, Salmon Arm, Armstrong, Kelowna, nearby centres and Kootenay districts.

Officers were installed in an impressive ceremony conducted by Lyman Semay, worshipful past county master of Vancouver.

Mr. Fuls stated during his outline of 1950 Orangemen's activities that membership in the Similkameen lodges was increasing rapidly, despite the "demands of indispensable qualifications which are required to get into the order."

Holiday Resort For Naramata

May 15 is the opening date set by John Bradwood for the holiday resort now being built for him on the west beach at Naramata.

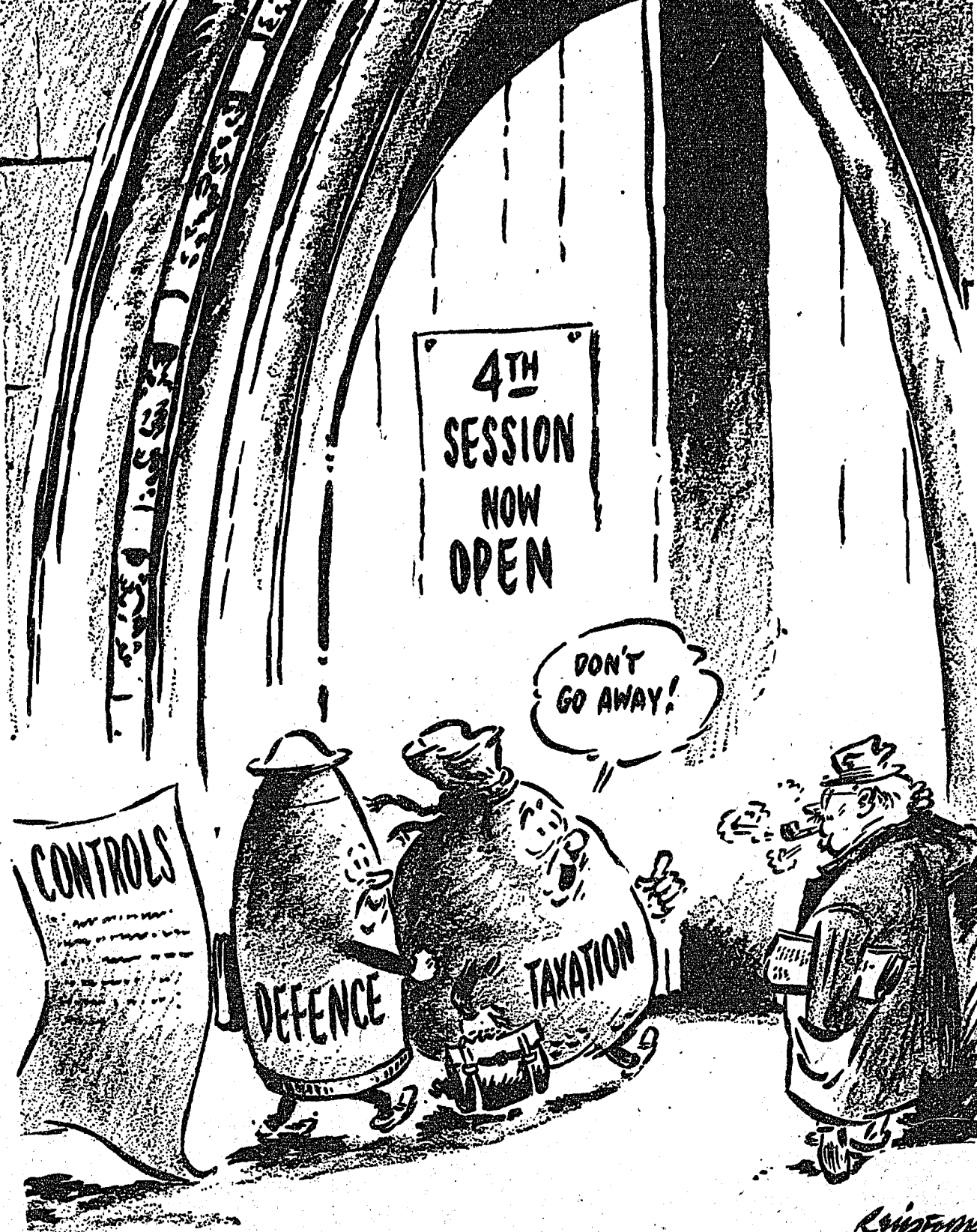
The lodge and cottages comprising the resort are situated directly on the beach.

The site, formerly a peach orchard, has an unimpeded view of the lake. The buildings are of rustic western construction, as are the furnishings.

The lodge, built of logs, will have a restaurant, cafe and lounge. Rooms will occupy the second floor. The spacious cottages have a setting-room, bed-room and bath.

E. A. Brown, of Penticton, is contractor for the lodge and D. Salting is contractor for the cottages.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradwood and daughters travelled and lived in many parts of the world before they settled in Naramata.



Civil Defence Commission Plans For Preparedness

Communities in the Okanagan Valley must be prepared to shelter and feed an influx of 18,000 men, women and children who, experts predict, would flock into the valley within the space of two days in the event of an atomic attack on the coast metropolitan area.

This information was divulged when members of Penticton's civil defence commission met in the City Hall last Thursday night to formulate their role in billeting and caring for evacuees and—just to be sure—measures of recovery in the event that an A-bomb landed here.

Under the chairmanship of Alderman Wilson Hunt, they made their first steps toward civic preparedness: formation of a central committee which will take over if an atom bomb drops. It consists of Paul G. W. Walker, city engineer; Miss Joan Appleton, public health nurse; Dr. J. J. Gibson; Alderman J. G. Harris and G. Winter, chairman of the Red Cross disaster services committee.

After discussing the myriad of problems which would confront an A-bomb community, they will appoint sub-committees. **MASS EVACUATION**
The local civil defence commission

Chickens Priced High In Court

The price of chickens was pretty high in police court last week.

Four birds, valued at \$3 each by the owner, cost two local men a total of \$27 when Joseph Lamb and Leonard Nyman appeared before Magistrate G. A. McLelland and pleaded guilty to a charge of theft.

The accused were each fined \$5 and costs and were ordered to reimburse the owner to the full value of the birds. According to police evidence, the men were traced after the stolen poultry was found in a shack along with a hat belonging to one of them.

May Leave Time Question Up To Municipalities

The British Columbia Government may leave the contentious question of Daylight Saving Time to the municipalities this year.

In other years, Past Time was province-wide during the summer months, the dates fixed by the government.

Provincial authorities are said to believe the municipalities should make their own decisions on the change-over unless the Federal Government decides on a country-wide basis.

Final decision, however, has not been made and it is reported that should the province call for provincial-wide daylight time, the period may be shortened this year.

Entries In Okanagan Musical Festival Will Be Accepted To March 8

The deadline for entry in the Okanagan Musical Festival slated for Kelowna from April 24 to April 27 has been advanced one week.

This was announced by Mrs. H. W. Arbuckle, secretary of the Kelowna Musical Festival organization. Entries will now be accepted up to March 8, rather than March 1, on the reasoning that the recent epidemic of influenza might have caused dislocation in the plans of many contestants.

Alderman Hunt will attend a meeting from centres throughout the Okanagan Valley in Kelowna on March 1 which is designed to co-ordinate measures of preparedness throughout the Interior.

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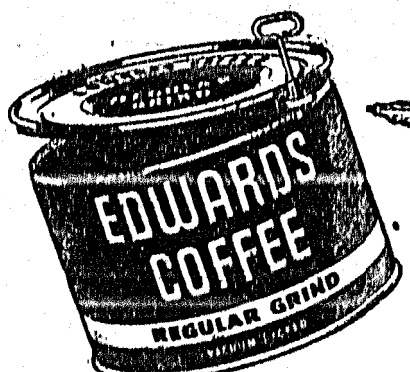


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Something new in a salad—leftover chicken combined with fruit! The family will ask for an encore.

CHICKEN has long been a treat to be enjoyed by the family and guests alike, for who doesn't like a tender, juicy, crispy coated wing or drumstick? If you plan to have chicken for a dinner party, cook enough to be used in a second day dish, that will be as tempting as the party fare itself. Use the leftovers in a souffle, a salad, a meat loaf or on toast. Any way you serve it, it's still good!

And when you are cooking, that chicken, remember that slow cooking is best. High temperatures tend to make the meat dry and stringy.

Westchester Chicken Salad

Three cups diced, cooked chicken, 1 cup diced, unpared red apples, 1 cup pineapple cubes, drained, if desired, 1 cup diced grapefruit sections, drained, mayonnaise, water, cream.

Combine chicken with apples, well-drained pineapple and grapefruit sections. Mix well. Add enough mayonnaise to hold ingredients together. Serve on water dress with additional mayonnaise if desired. Yield: 8 servings.

The Recipe Corner

HOW BUSY THE BEE!

Did you know, that it took fifty thousand bees a whole day to fill that pound jar of honey on your shelf. That's one million, two hundred thousand bees hours, so that little bit of honey represents a lot of work. But it's good—good on things, and in things, and for things. It's sweet, sweeter than sugar. And it's more than sweet. It has a wonderful flavor all its own; or rather, it has a whole variety of flavors, depending upon where the bees were busy. They may have worked among mountain sage, or chickadee, or basswood, or alfalfa, or other blossoms of their choosing. In each case they will have produced a honey of a little different flavor.

RHUBARB BREAD 'N' HONEY PUDDING

1/2 cup shortening
1/3 cup honey
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
2 eggs
1 1/2 cups 1/2-inch toast cubes
2 cups corn flakes
4 cups diced fresh rhubarb
1/2 cup honey.

Blend shortening, honey, vanilla and nutmeg, add eggs and beat. Stir in bread cubes and corn flakes. Spread rhubarb in baking pan and drizzle with honey. Cover with corn flakes mixture. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 40-45 minutes or until rhubarb is done. Serve warm. Yield: 6-8 servings (6x10x2-inch pan).

HONEY RAISIN BUNS

1/2 cup ready-to-eat bran
1/2 cup raisins
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup honey
2 cups sifted flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup shortening
1 tablespoon honey
1 tablespoon melted butter.

Combine bran, raisins, milk and honey. Allow to stand 10 minutes. Sift flour, baking powder and salt together; cut in shortening until mixture resembles coarse cornmeal. Add first mixture, stirring until soft dough is formed. Turn onto floured board, knead lightly and shape into a roll. Divide into 12 equal pieces. Shape into balls and flatten out to 1/2 inch thickness. Place on greased pan and bake in moderately hot oven (425° F.) about 20 minutes. While still hot, brush with a mixture of honey and melted butter. Yield: 12 buns (2 1/2 inches in diameter).

More Femininity In Coats And Suits

A change-over from strictly tailored to softly feminine, but still neat, is found in this year's coats and suits. Suits are slim, with arched, rounded hips. The yarmid coat continues to be a favorite. This spring, coats and suits have these fashion points in common: Collarless necklines, from cardigan to mandarin; button trims, "platter" buttons for coats, jewel buttons and mother-of-pearl buttons for suits; inset arrows, self-strapping appliques and velvet accents.

Suits with stoles and capelets are already selling as good new fashions; the suit with side slanting opening is also a high fashion choice. In fabrics, flannel and wide fabrics are the majority choice for coats, gabardine and flannel for suits. Fabrics which are newly important include the crisp silks, from taffeta to ottoman, dress-type rayons, and linen.

When making cheese rarebit, slowly add a third of a cup of sherry to the melted cheese, stirring constantly.

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Miss M. McBirney Named Dancing Adjudicator For Silver Musical Festival

KELOWNA—The Okanagan Valley Musical Festival Committee has announced the appointment of Miss Mora McBirney as dancing adjudicator for the Silver Anniversary Musical Festival scheduled to be held in Kelowna, April 24, 25, 26 and 27.

Miss McBirney is a member of the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dancing, London, England. She

Church Group To Contact Prayer Partner In India

If plans proceed as outlined at the Thursday meeting of the Women's Federation of the United Church, information will be received directly from a prayer partner in India.

Mrs. E. W. Unwin told of plans underway to correspond with Miss Dorothy Pearson, who teaches in the Women's Christian College in Madras, India, and who has been appointed by Church headquarters to serve as prayer partner for the Women's Federation of the United Church in Penticton.

Twenty-seven members were present at the regular meeting of the group when business was conducted by Mrs. Graham Knight, president.

Four quilts and one afghan will be ready to ship by March to the United Church Overseas Relief Depot.

Mrs. J. F. Millar was in charge of the devotional period of the meeting. She chose "God's Silent Presence" as the theme of her readings.

At the conclusion of the business meeting, a pleasant social hour was held with refreshments served by Mrs. Williams' Circle of the Federation.



MISS MORA MCBIRNEY

came to Canada as coach for the Royal Academy of Dancing, London, in 1946 and 1947. She was persuaded to remain in Vancouver where she is now director of dancing at the Conservatory of Music.

Perhaps Mora McBirney is best known as director of the Vancouver Ballet Production Club, which appeared in The National Ballet Festival in Toronto in 1948; and in Montreal in 1950.

For competitors in Scottish Dancing, under 10 years, the Festival Committee will be presenting the Donna-Day Washington Cup for the first time. This challenge cup has been given by Mr. and Mrs. A. D. C. Washington of Penticton.

The Festival Committee has also announced the gift of a \$25 scholarship from Harold Somersford, of Okanagan Centre. This scholarship, offered on an annual basis, is for a student of dancing over ten years of age. The award will be made by the adjudicator to enable a worthy and deserving pupil to continue training and development in the field of dancing.

Those interested in helping either the general fund of the Festival Association or the scholarship fund are reminded that all donations are exempt from income tax.

Modern Bakery Visited By IODE

Members from the Diamond Jubilee Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, visited the Canadian Bakeries, Thursday, following an invitation extended to them by Mr. A. E. Jones, manager.

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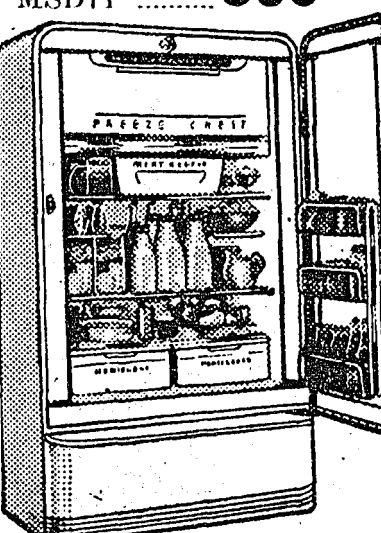
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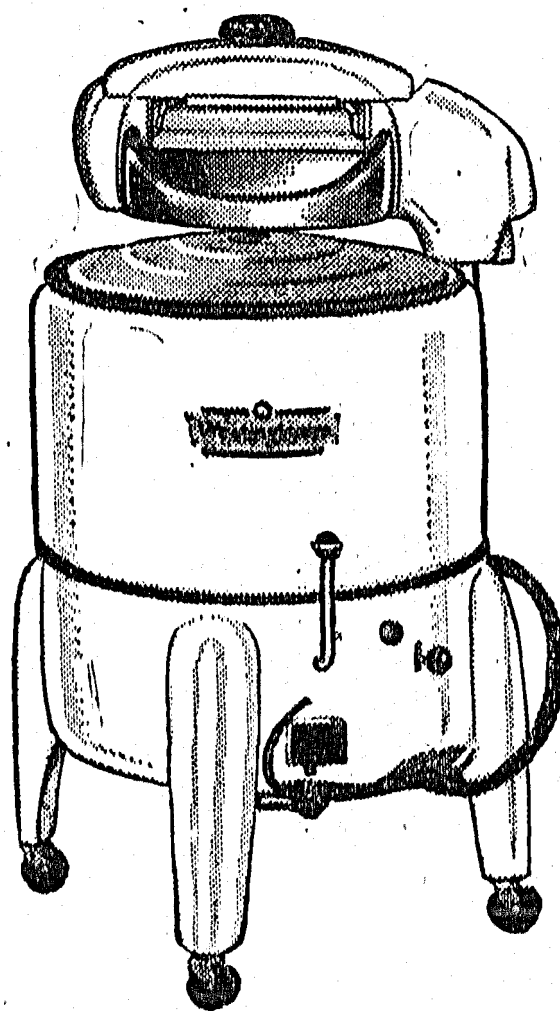
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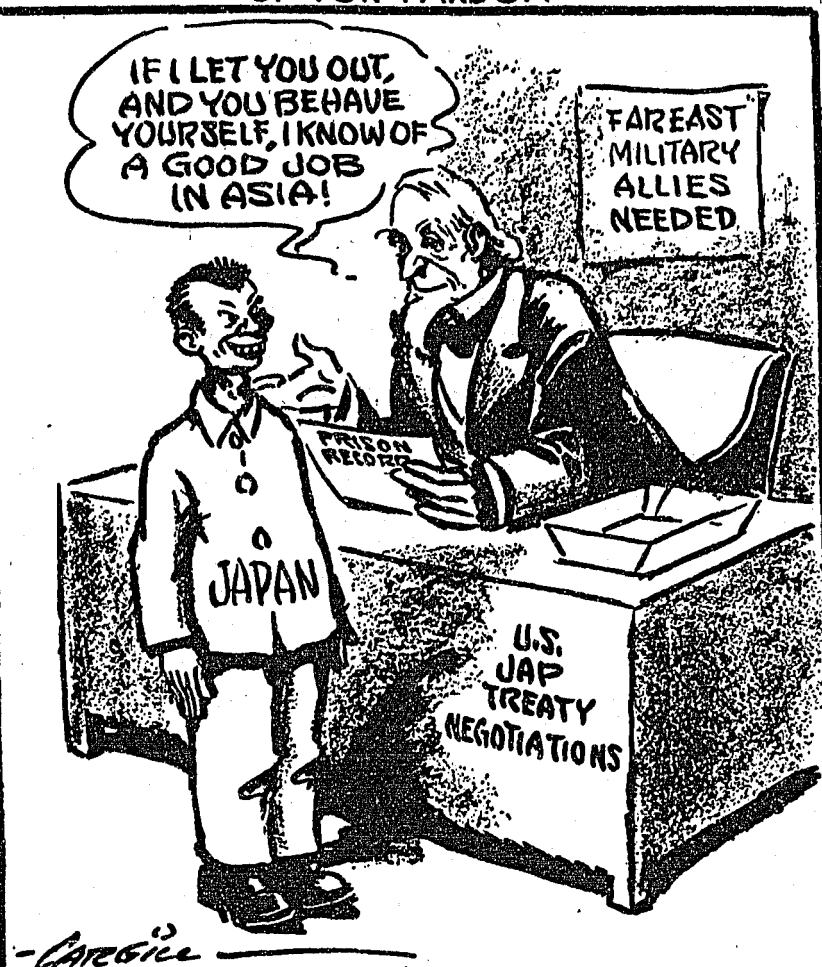
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High School News ... The Big Eye

By BEVERLY HILL AND JOANNE VAUGHAN

Everybody seems to be practising for something or other this week. The Glee-Club practices are every Monday and Tuesday at noon, and they are very proud to be a part of the Fine Arts Concert on March 16, and also to be able to take a prominent part in the City Band concert. This concert will be held in the school cafeteria, and it should prove worthwhile to attend, so get your tickets from Joanne Vaughan, 10-B. The Glee Club members all have their fingers crossed in hopes that they will attend this year's Music Festival in Kelowna.

The Drama Club is rehearsing too, but its actual activities will have to remain a mystery until the day of the Fine Arts Concert. Folk-dancing classes under the direction of Miss Grunland, are well under way, as over thirty girls attend the practices after school. Just because you do not belong to one of these active groups does not mean that you have to ignore them. Give all the activities and sports in your school your whole-hearted support.

The regular meeting of the Girls' Hi-Y was quite an event last week, as the members were honored by a visit from Miss Amaron, the Foreign Service representative of the YWCA. Miss Amaron told the girls of her life in Ceylon and India. She also passed around some very interesting pieces of jewellery, and some photographs of the people. During the last period in the afternoon, all the senior girls were invited to a lecture, at which Miss Amaron presided. She told of the struggle in rebuilding the YWCA in Rangoon, Burma, after the war, and several of the Hi-Y members modeled four of the native costumes. The girls all agreed that the lecture was most enlightening.

The home of Doreen Raptis was the scene of a Hi-Y house party, on February 22. Miss Gwyer was the guest of honor, and she spoke of her stay in England, and described the school life of the English girls. One of the nicest things about a house-party is that there always seems to be lots of food.

The Junior-Intermediate girls' basketball team played against Summerland on February 17, but it was a very poorly played game. Our girls lost by a large margin. They have hopes for a big recovery, however, for Summerland is planning a return game in the near future. Let's show Summerland what Pen-High girls can do. Win! Win!

The date was February 22, and the gym was packed. No wonder, for it was the day of the spectacular basketball game, featuring the teachers vs. the junior boys. Of course the teachers lost, but what a score! 20-28. Admission was one thin dime, but it was certainly worth it.

Do you want to see our Senior boys go to Now Westminster? Of course you do! And here is how you can help. There is to be a gigantic Home Cooking and Rummage Sale on Saturday, March 24, in the K.P. Hall, and all of us are urged to bring old clothes, books, games, and household articles, etc. Only by

supporting this endeavor will our lads be able to attend the play-offs, and don't forget the girls who are going to Trail if this sale goes over the top. This is an excellent chance to really get behind your school and display that school spirit. The teams are counting on you!

Our Pen-High Lakers certainly clipped the wings of the Kelowna Golden Owls in a thrilling game at the school gym last Friday night. The final score was 60-34, and considering the fact that the Owls started out with a big lead, our Lakers displayed excellent playing ability. Saturday afternoon the Lakers and three bus-loads of Pen-High rooters are travelling to Kelowna for a return game, but since the Lakers already have a 26 point lead, it shouldn't be too hard to reduce the arrogant Owls to a mere pile of feathers. — JO. and BEV.

P-T-A News

The Education Week plans of the Parent-Teachers Association are nearing completion. Monday, March 5, is the day set aside as open house at the Schools, and the P-T-A urges all parents to take this opportunity to visit the School, examine the children's efforts, and if possible, chat with their teachers. Here is an excellent chance for parents and teachers to discuss their joint interests — the child, and through this contact, help the child towards further progress.

Following the visit to the classrooms the P-T-A invites the parents to come to the cafeteria, which will be the setting for the annual tea and the Four Seasons Bazaar. Booths decorated in the theme of the seasons will surround the tea tables, and will display many items appropriate at each time of year. Items of home cooking are included in each booth, and if your fancy turns to bread or buns you will find them in the Autumn booth. As an added feature there will be a booth with children's outgrown clothing, rubbers and overshoes. Parents with small children will be happy to know they can leave them in the playground, set aside in the junior high building, where they will be carefully supervised by the senior girls.

Thursday of Education Week is the day of the open meeting to be held by the P-T-A in the cafeteria at 7:45 p.m. Please look elsewhere for the detailed programme of this meeting and for other Education Week activities.

Food Rationing Still Continues In British Isles

Housewives in the United Kingdom are still confronted with the problem of food rationing which in North America is only a bad memory from the years of World War II. Restrictions have been in effect since 1940 on the following commodities: bacon, bananas, cheese, fats, meat, eggs, sugar, candy and tea.

Today each individual may obtain only four ounces of bacon per week. Bananas available are provided only for people over 70, expectant mothers, and youngsters under 18. The cheese ration is only three ounces per person, though vegetarians, agricultural and certain other workers in localities where no restaurants are established may consume 12 ounces each.

The weekly ration of fats for each person consists of four ounces of butter, four ounces of margarine and two ounces of cooking fats. Margarine may be taken in place of all or part of the butter ration. To vegetarians there is a special allowance of 14 ounces, made up of four ounces of butter, eight of vegetable margarine and two of vegetable cooking fat.

Each adult may spend only ten pence per week on meat, including two pence on canned corn beef. Children under five years are permitted an expenditure of five pence per week, including one pence on canned corn beef, and expectant mothers may spend one shilling, three pence, of which three pence may buy canned corn beef. Minors working underground may eat to the extent of two shillings, four pence (two pence for canned corn beef).

The normal allowance of eggs is one for each ration book, though expectant mothers may consume two and babies between the ages of six months and two years are fed three. A happy thought for Britons is the fact that the Ministry of Food has announced that eggs will be unrationed in the spring. The sugar ration is ten ounces per week; candy is metered out at the rate of 20 ounces a month and two ounces of tea are provided—people over 70 may obtain three.

All meals in restaurants are ration-free and catering establishments receive special scales of all rationed commodities.

LUMBY — A good-sized bob-cat was shot by Rex Algers in the Lumby Community Park a few days ago. The animal was first noticed arguing with Wilfred Quesnel's dog, and then crossed the creek into the park where it was soon disposed of.

The tourist business has become an important source of foreign exchange for Canada. In 1949 it provided 7% of total current receipts from abroad; of commodity exports only wheat and newsprint exceeded it in exchange earnings.

STANDARD BRIDGE By M. Harrison-Gray

Dealer: East.
East-West game.

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East opened One Spade and South bid a flippancy Two Hearts. With little and good trumps, West's free raise to Two Spades was correct. North bid Three Clubs and East jumped to Four Spades, doubled by North.

South led ♠ 9 and North won, shifting first to ♠ A and then to ♠ 4. East played dummy's ♠ K and then took a rousing success of ♠ A. Diamond switch would have broken the contract, but South returned ♠ 4 in the full hope that North could ruff. ♠ 10 was finessed and East's ♠ A was then cashed. East's ♠ 9 was thus handed back on a platter. Dealer must play ♠ A at trick five. If South fails, ♠ K is cashed and the lead thrown to North with ♠ Q, any return being fatal for the defence.

VERNON—Owing to the current epidemic of influenza, the annual general meeting of the Vernon Jubilee Hospital Association, scheduled for last Friday was postponed indefinitely.

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 13. Garland of flowers
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 18. The sweetest
 19. Furnished with a hood
 20. Selenium (sym.)
 21. Greek letter
 22. An achievement
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 24. More certain
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 26. Young girl (Scot.)
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Scald $\frac{1}{2}$ c. milk, $\frac{1}{4}$ c. granulated sugar, $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. salt and $\frac{1}{4}$ c. shortening; cool to lukewarm. Meanwhile, measure into a large bowl $\frac{1}{2}$ c. lukewarm water, 1 tsp. granulated sugar; stir until sugar is dissolved. Sprinkle with 1 envelope Fleischmann's Royal Fast Rising Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 mins., THEN stir well.

Add cooled milk mixture and stir in 1 well-beaten egg and 1 tsp. grated lemon rind. Stir in 2 c. once-sifted bread flour; beat until smooth. Work in 2 c. (about) once-sifted bread flour. Knead on lightly-floured board until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl and grease top of

dough. Cover and set in warm place, free from draught. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down dough and roll out into an oblong about 9" wide and 24" long; loosen dough. Combine $\frac{1}{2}$ c. lightly-packed brown sugar and $\frac{1}{2}$ c. liquid honey; spread over dough and sprinkle with $\frac{1}{4}$ c. broken walnuts. Beginning at a long side, loosely roll up like a jelly roll. Lift carefully into a greased 8" tube pan and join ends of dough to form a ring. Brush top with melted butter. Bake in moderate oven, 375°, 45-50 minutes. Brush top with honey and sprinkle with chopped walnuts.

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Ogopogo May Be Related To Seagoing "Oarfish"

It seems that Penticton's civic boosters—such as members of the Board of Trade—are not too imaginative when they advertise the Okanagan Lake as the habitat of the fabulous Ogopogo.

Some of the populace are somewhat skeptical of the eye-witness accounts of the sea serpent's "fear-some head and long body which moves through the water with an undulating motion." They contend that these tales are mainly the results of imagination or hallucination. They trace back to Shakespeare, who wrote that "such tricks hath strong imagination that it gives to airy nothing a local habitation and a name."

Here's what the magazine "Science Digest" has to say about this possible relative of Okanagan's Ogopogo.

When a Mexican Indian excitedly related how he had lapped a sea-serpent from the boiling surf off Newport, Calif., on February 22, 1901, the local inhabitants scoffed. The Indian triumphantly displayed four tentacles and a strip of flesh about six feet long and several men finally agreed to view the monster.

GENUINE SEA SERPENT
Along the beach they came upon a strange, snake-like creature about 20 feet long. After gazing with mingled amazement and horror at the spectacle, someone ventured a guess that the animal weighed as much as 500 pounds. Here, at last, was a genuine sea-serpent, they agreed.

The Indian had seen it thrashing violently in the shallow water, and was frightened by the mane of seething scarlet tentacles erected by the angry creature. Whether he landed the creature in a surge of bravery, or whether the waves beached it is not known, but the native was a hero for a day.

He excited the admiration of everyone except a small group of ichthyologists who were called to the scene. One scientist was particularly disgusted to find that the animal was so mutilated by the Indian that it was permanently ruined for museum purposes.

The scientist's concern arose from the fact that here was one of the great enigmas of the sea, progenitor of sea-serpent tales.

Since 1771, when the first oarfish specimens were described by the Danish naturalist, Morton T. Brunnich, and in 1774 by Peter Ascanius, the Norwegian scientist, men have tried to delve into its mysterious habits. What little is known today about this fish is the result of an amalgamation of information found in the polyglot literature and from the hearsay of scientific men.

For example, there is a question of the size of the oarfish. In 1848, Lord Norbury, the head of a firm of fish merchants in Edinburgh, Scotland, related how, during trawling operations, his crew sighted a giant serpent-like fish thrashing about.

The fishermen captured the animal and spread its carcass out on the deck. The length of the fish extended beyond the limits of the vessel, which was estimated to be 60 feet from stem to stern. The breadth of the fish measured five to nine inches, and the dorsal fin was from six to seven inches in depth.

Unfortunately, Lord Norbury seemed inclined to view the giant he had captured with distrust, and ordered the fish cut in pieces and thrown overboard. The crew seemed to express no great surprise at

the size of the specimen; they asserted that they had met with one much larger. Most specimens that have been examined by scientists range from 10 to 20 feet in length.

DEFINITELY A FISH
The oarfish has probably been the real actor in many sea-serpent controversies. A large number of sea-serpent stories can be authentically traced to this very rare fish—even though its scarcity has made it almost a marine illusion. The oarfish has often been called a snake and reptile, but it is definitely a fish, possessing fin rays, gills, lateral line, and a fish-like anatomy. The term, "oarfish," came from the appearance of the long pelvic fins.

A good example of a "sea-serpent" story caused by an oarfish appeared in Prof. A. C. Oudemans' classic monograph, "The Great Sea-serpent." An English captain reported: "On the 28th of August (1852), in long. 40° E., lat. 37° 18' S., about half-past two, we had all gone down to get ready for dinner, when the first mate called us on deck to see a most extraordinary sight.

About 500 yards from the ship there was the head and neck of an enormous snake; we saw about 16 or 20 feet out of the water. . . down his back he had a crest like a cock's comb and was going very slowly through the water, but left a wake of about 50 or 60 feet, as if dragging a long body after him, but as we approached him, he went down. His color was green with light spots. He was seen by every one on board."

GREAT SEA SERPENT
Another English officer's letter written between the Cape and Madras about 1852 disclosed the following: "You will be surprised to hear that we have actually seen the great sea-serpent. . . (and) from the noise and excitement I thought the ship was on fire. I rushed on deck, and on looking over the side of the vessel, I saw a most wonderful sight, which I shall recollect as long as I live."

"His head appeared to be 16 feet above the water, and he kept moving it up and down, sometimes showing his enormous neck, which was surmounted with a huge crest in the shape of a saw. It was surrounded by hundreds of birds, and we at first thought it was a dead whale. He left a track in the water like the wake of a boat, and from what we could see of the head and part of his body, we were led to think he must be about 60 feet in length, but he might be more. The captain, seeing the vessel away, got to get nearer to him, and when we were within a hundred yards he slowly sank into the depths of the sea."

IN MANY OCEANS
The great oarfish is considered a deep-water species, and is worldwide in its distribution. It has been captured off Bermuda and southern California, but nowhere else in the United States. It probably lives in the upper or intermediate layers of the ocean, where it swims about by wave-like movements of its long body. Great storms may drive it shoreward, where the surf may beat it to death.

Deepwater fishes seldom rise to the ocean's surface. When one does, the reduction of pressure results in the bursting of blood vessels; and the fish's bladder swells, causing the stomach to be turned inside out. If a deepwater fish gets above its depth it is considered lost, just as is a surface fish when it sinks to the depth of half a mile. The oarfish has occasionally been found floating at the water's surface, sometimes on its side—a position probably adopted only by a sick or dying fish.

Despite the oarfish's serpentine and general warning stance, its appearance belies its true nature, for, in reality, the creature is perfectly harmless and weak in muscle. Dr. David Starr Jordan, one of America's great ichthyologists, spoke of the oarfish as being "feeble in mind," probably alluding to its propensity of getting caught in inextricable situations.

DELICATE SPECIES
The oarfish is a delicate species, possessing a translucent, almost jelly-like body. In fact, most of the individuals discovered floating dead on the water's surface have the muscular tissues so loosened from the bony system that they can be lifted out of the sea only with difficulty. The extremely fragile portions of the body and fins are broken or lost so that it is very difficult for an objective scientist to visualize this fish masquerading as the mythical but fearsome sea-serpent.

Dr. John R. Norman, the world-renowned British Museum Natural History ichthyologist, who has examined oarfishes, described them as follows: "The body is very long and ribbon-shaped, and studded with numerous hard, but not bony, tubercles. The caudal fin is a mere rudiment, or is absent altogether. Each pelvic fin is represented by a single long ray, which is usually broadened at its tip. The lateral line runs along the lower part of the side and is not provided with spiny plates. The operation is silvery, with a bluish tinge on the head, and the body is ornamented with irregular short and obliquely placed dark streaks, and sometimes with a series of dark spots; the fins are all coral red."

Although some naturalists have been impressed by the horse-like features of the oarfish's head, the profile of the creature can be compared more closely with a belligerent Boston terrier, excluding, of course, the filamentous dorsal crest.

The large size of many animals is no criterion for the amount of existing knowledge about them. On the contrary, the life histories of many gargantuan creatures are the least known. The dossier on the oarfish is replete with blank pages.

The bodies of the oarfish are so rare that many museums will welcome all or parts of specimens for study. Scientists decry the practice, whereby specimens which are cast up on beaches or captured by fishermen, are carried around and exhibited as "sea-serpents." These wither and dry after a few days, resulting in a real loss to a museum.

A young, 24-inch oarfish observed at Avalon Bay in southern California, was described by C. F. Holder as follows: "The fish was a fragile and delicate creature, a very ghost of a fish, which swam along the water gently, almost the sands with an undulatory motion, looking like one of its names—the ribbon-fish. The fortunate finder of this specimen could not be persuaded to give it up or sell it, and it was its fate to be pasted upon a piece of board, dried in the sun as a 'curio,' where, as it is in retinal at the desecration of so rare a specimen, it soon disappeared." The fish is so watery that it shrivels up into a mass of gelatinous streaks.

No one knows what the oarfish feeds upon, and although a minute series of teeth is present in the jaws, it is improbable that the fish is a rapacious carnivore. On the contrary, it probably is attacked by sharks and other voracious fishes. The late Dr. Jordan stated that the oarfish is so susceptible to the elements that "sometimes these deep-sea fishes rush to the shore to escape from parasites, (such as) crustaceans that torture their soft flesh, or sharks that would tear it."

The flesh is quite useless as human food, and it is recorded that in Scandinavia even dogs refused to eat it, whether offered raw or cooked.

SINGULAR BEAUTY
Zoologists have been much impressed by the singular beauty and gracefulness of the oarfish. Professor F. Wood Jones reported an encounter with one from the Indo-Australian Archipelago. He related: "On October 28, 1906, 30 miles south of the island of Sumbawa . . . whilst the ship was hanging on to the cable at about 10 a.m., a long and very beautiful fish came to the surface at our bow, and stood with his nose close to the cable, just keeping pace with the current."

"Baited hooks were thrown to it but it took no notice of them. Attempts were made to hook it with a running bowline, but without success. Whenever it was touched by a hook or a rope, a crest of a fine red color was erected from the head. This crest was nearly three feet out of water. The fish slowly sank again but appeared later in the morning again and was at last scrambled on board a boat."

WONDERFUL SIGHT
Dr. Jones continued: "In the water, the fish was a wonderful sight. The vivid red crest and dorsal fin, and the scarlet streamers on his sides, and the blue of his head and intense shine of silver of his body, making him very beautiful in the clear water."

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By-Law Covering Meter Parking At Vernon Approved

VERNON—Operation of motor vehicles using such Vernon streets as will shortly be equipped with parking meters will be thoroughly regulated.

A by-law covering many points in connection with the meters was given three readings by the City Council last week.

The "metered zone period," when parking will be regulated, is from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. every day except Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays. No tariffs will be charged Sundays and holidays, and on Saturdays the hours will be extended until 9 p.m. Payment of one cent gives 12-minute parking and of five cents gives one hour.

Maximum parking period is 60 minutes. The by-law cites as an infraction the depositing of additional money after the original hour contracted for has expired. When a one cent coin is used, up to four more may be placed in the meter.

Rental of parking meter space to taxi stands is allowed. The wording of the by-law reads in part: "The council is empowered to grant to the owner of any taxicab occupying an office facing the street upon the ground floor of any building in a metered zone of any street, the privilege of the sole use of one parking meter space . . . upon payment of annual rental of \$36 . . ."

Revenues from meters above expenses must be earmarked for street maintenance and improvements and for traffic regulations.

The \$2 levy for parking infractions so widely used in other cities will be cut in half. Within 24 hours of any infraction, \$1 may be paid or mailed to the city offices in discharge of the debt. Fines may be levied in the case of court action of not more than \$25.

Influenza Epidemic Forces Postponement Of Kelowna Event

KELOWNA—The influenza epidemic has forced postponement of the fifth annual charter night of the Kelowna Lions Club which was to have been held last Saturday night.

The rummage sale scheduled for March 10, has also been postponed. A house-to-house canvass to collect articles from households was to have taken place this week, but the Lions Club executive decided to postpone this until a later date.

Dates for both the charter night banquet and the rummage sale will probably be set tonight at the service club's regular dinner meeting.

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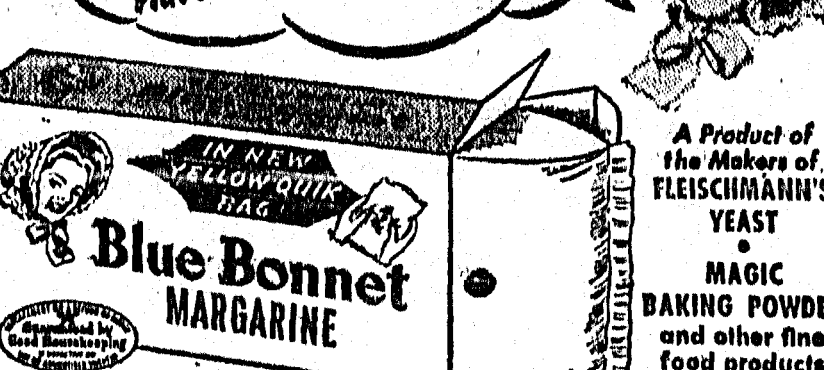
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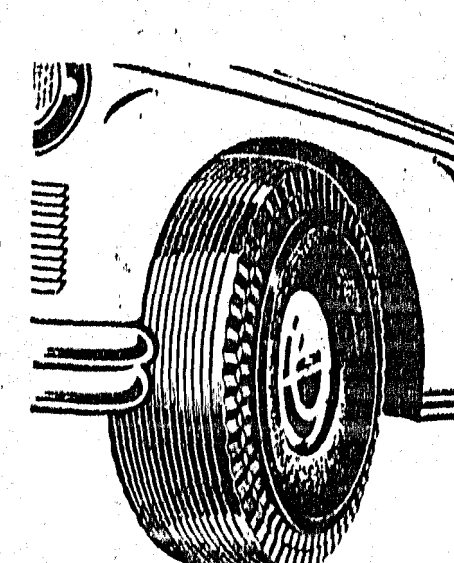
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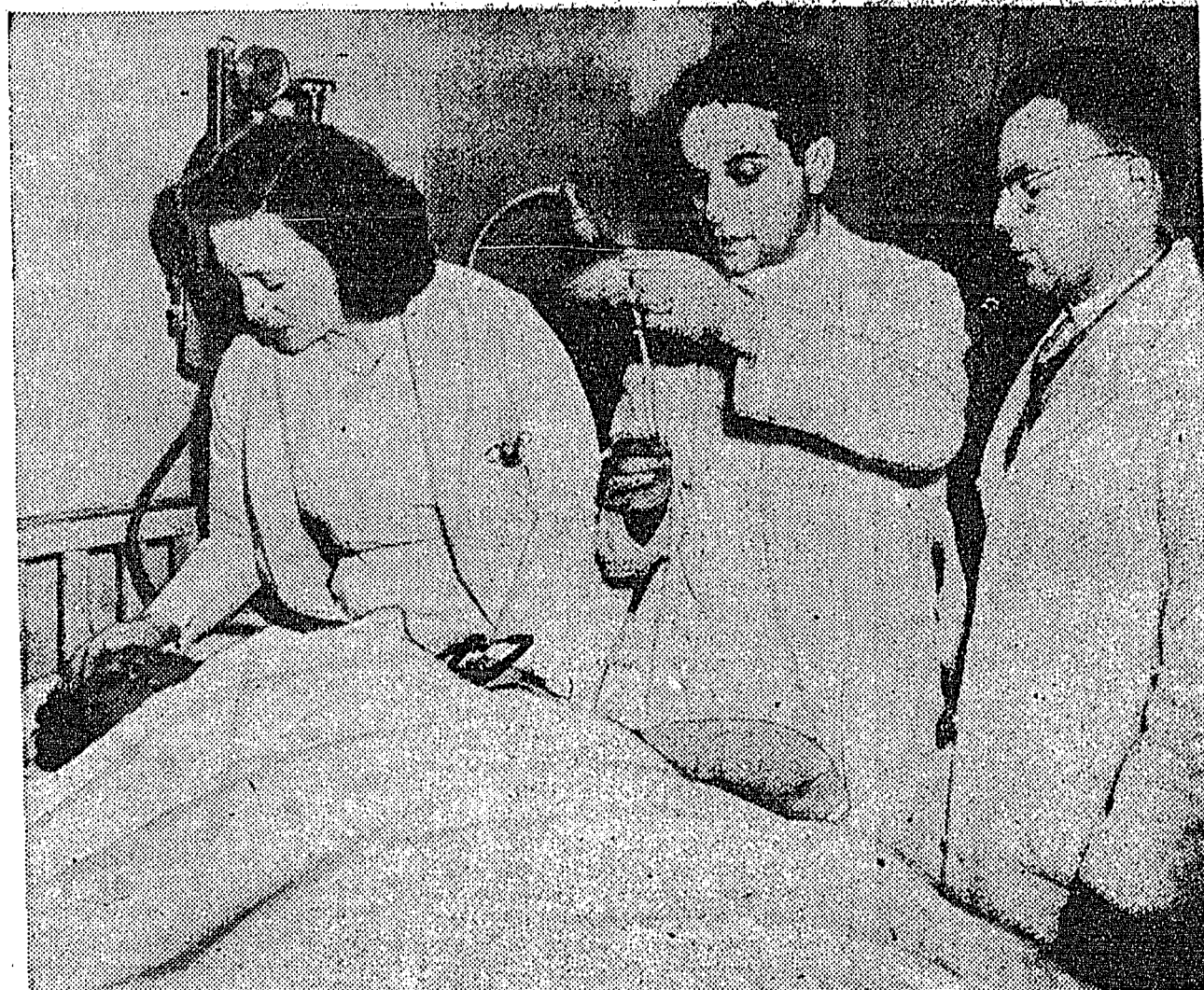
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MRS. DOROTHY MAE STEVENS, 23, lies under heavy covers at Michael Reese hospital, Chicago, after she was found in a gangway on the South Side in below-freezing weather. The hospital reported she was found unconscious and "frozen hard." Her temperature, recorded on a special laboratory thermometer held by Dr. Aaron Gerber (centre), registered 64 degrees. Late in the afternoon her temperature had risen to 77 degrees. Attending the woman are (left to right) Dr. Mary Ann Silverman, Dr. Gerber and Dr. Elliot Coles.

Cap & Bells

Oh winnow, winnow, winnow all my tolly and you'll find
A grain or two of truth among the chaff.

—W. S. Gilbert.

Good evening, everybody.
I trust you all slept well and are feeling unusually bright and intelligent.

You will need to be.
You will, I hope, remember that I promised to reveal to you tonight the real secret of woman's origin. Before doing so, I must touch upon yet another aspect of her innate queeriness, her indifference to cold air.

Every winter, even in the very coldest places, such as Edmonton, and on the very bitterest days, woman will walk the streets with no protection for her legs but a skimpy skirt and cobweb stockings.

Now, consider her idea of suitable evening wear. Her skirt may fall to reach her knees or it may flop around on the floor, according to the fashion of the moment, but above the equator she wears a sleeveless, strapless, backless contraption which, whatever its fell purpose, is certainly not designed for warmth. In this semi-nude condition she will go straight from an overheated ball-room into the chilly night air and the length of time she remains outdoors will depend, not on the temperature but entirely of the attractiveness, physical or financial, of the boob with her.

Consider, again, the enormous number of women between the ages of fifteen and fifty who enter beauty contests or ride around on floats in

parades.
No matter how grey the sky or nipping the wind they will, wearing only the absolute legal minimum, strut, pose and posture through the livelong day.

Clearly, women can, with impunity, expose to the elements her lower half, her upper half or the works. Subjected to such treatment, the very burliest of cave-men would wilt and perish like a butterfly in November.

Finally, that beautiful and dreadful thing, the female eye. Focused upon a prepossessing male, it is lustrous, limpid and lovely but should a better-looking or better-dressed woman come along, it becomes, instantly, cold, hard and malevolent.

A noteworthy feature is that a woman never directs this fish-like glare at a man unless, of course, he happens to be her husband. Armed with all this data, I studied the beasts, the birds and the fishes.

Chivalry forbade investigation into the reptiles.

The task was surprisingly easy. Very little research was necessary to enable me to decide, definitely, that woman belongs to the fish family.

You, undoubtedly having heard the evidence, have come to the same conclusion.

To the objection that a fish cannot talk whilst a woman can and—noticeably—does the explanation is simple—a question of environment.

The natural habitat of a fish is not conducive to chatter. Shove a woman's head under water and she won't talk either.

Whilst, to the lay mind, the evidence is conclusive, it is not enough for the scientist. Science demands proof.

Now, the origin of any species can only be proved by evolution. The trouble is, as Charles Darwin pointed out, in his delightful and amusing book, "The Descent of Man," that to get your proof you must find the intermediate forms.

As you know, Darwin failed to find the intermediate form between monkey and man. Many of his co-scientists said it wasn't necessary to find it.

The difference, they said, is negligible anyway, so why bother?

In the case of woman, happily, there is no such difficulty. The intermediate form has been known to exist since, certainly, the days of Ulysses.

Everyone knows of it, everyone has seen pictures of it and the creature itself has been seen by thousands of mariners.

I refer, of course, to that most perfect of all intermediate forms, the Mermaid, half fish, half woman. The swapping of a tail for a pair of legs is quite usual in Nature. The most common example is the tadpole which, in its early days, like the mermaid, has two arms and a tail. Later the tadpole loses its tail and gains a pair of frog legs.

Whilst the legs of a frog are undoubtedly efficient, I think that, aesthetically, woman made the better bargain.

Just one last word to the men. Please don't get any silly notions from these talks. Don't run away with the idea that, henceforth, you will be able to understand women. You won't.

What you should be able to do, is to understand why you don't understand them, if you follow me.

WAR COMMENTARY

The assault tactics employed by the Chinese infantry appear to have spread amazement, not to any consternation, through the ranks of

the US forces.
This seems almost incredible because Chinese military methods have been familiar to other nations for a couple of generations.

In that charming musical comedy "San Toy," produced in London around 1900, one of the characters, a Chinaman, told the audience, in song, exactly how his countrymen waged war.

The refrain of the song ran thus: "Chinee soldier man, Him Waivee piecee fan, Him shoutee 'Hip! Hurray!' for Empeloor."

Him makes hollid yell, Bangee drumme, ringee bell. When Chinee soldier marchee off to war."

So it is clear that the only new weapon, issued to the Chinese soldier in the last half-century, is the bugle.

The Staff Officers at West Point Military Academy should really look around.

They might well learn something about psychological warfare from the wily Oriental.

After all, vocal and instrumental hullabaloo, however trying to the nerves, is slightly more humane and, apparently, at least as effective as H.E. and jellied gasoline.

Our Book Club:
This week's selection:
"The Shattered Casement" by Eva Roake.

—JACK POINT

Flu Epidemic Hits Vernon

VERNON—An epidemic of influenza struck Vernon with full force last week and a comparatively mild form of the disease has apparently not yet reached its peak in this city.

However, although the epidemic is described by Dr. H. K. Kennedy, director, North Okanagan Health Unit, as being "very explosive," it has not affected such a large proportion of the population as in Lumby, which took the brunt of the epidemic earlier.

In Vernon last week, 34 percent of school students were absent, the largest group being from the high school, where more than half, or 57 percent, were away.

Dr. Kennedy said that he considers it safer to keep the schools open, where the children are in well ventilated and well lighted surroundings, and stand less chance of contracting the disease than they would if allowed to congregate on their own.

In many homes, one or more are down with the disease. Staffs of schools, business and industrial establishments are depleted.

New Books Added To Library Shelves

Many new books were added to the Penticton library during February. The fiction and non-fiction titles are listed below.

FICTION

Baldwin, Look Out For Liza; Batts, The Scarlet Sward; Caldwell, The Balance Wheel; Coles, Dangerous by Nature; Clover, The Parson; Cooper, Operation Heartbreak; Cowlin, The Holly and the Ivy; Cox, The Frightened Fiancee; Davis, Reference to Death; Ernenwein, Gunhawk Harvest; Forester, Mr. Midshipman Hornblower; Godden, The Peacock; Howard, The Beautiful Visit; Hubbard, Murder Takes the Veil; Lasswell, One on the House; Masters, The Nightrunners of Bengal; Rosaire, The Uneasy Years; Scott, The Margin; Short, Vengeance Valley; Sleeking, A Tomb With a View; Steinbeck, Burning Bright; Surmelan, 898; Symons, All Souls; Weston, Legacy of Fear; West, The Witch Diggers; Ullman, River of the Sun; Upfield, The Bachelors of Broken Hill; Wallace, Only One Life; Truss, Never Fight a Lady; Wickham, The Petrified Gesture; Wilkinson, Run, MongOOSE; Williams, Fold Home; Williams, The Phasian Bird.

NON-FICTION

Streetfield, The Year of Grace; Hale, Settlers; Morland, An Outline of Scientific Criminology; Mills, Stern-Wheelers up the Columbia; Kasner, Mathematics and the Imagination; Dana, Minerals and How to Study Them; Brodick, Early Man; Barclay, Darwin Is Not for Children; McMinn, Pacific Coast Trees; Schweitzer, Animal World; Minor, Footprints in the Trail; Van Gaasbeek, Wooden Boat and Ship Building; Sencourt, The Consecration of Genius; Art news annual 1951; Rorimer, Survival; The Salvage and Protection of Art in War; Clarke, The Cross-titch Book; Thompson, High Times; Scott, Skate With Me; Linklater, Two Comedies; Adams, The Treasure Chest; Buchanan, Farewell to Priorsford; Low, London Is London; Nicholson, Voyages to the Moon; Mangione, Reunion in Sicily; Murray, I Spied for Stalin; Okanagan Historical Record; 1950; Backhouse, Among the Gauchos; Lasseron, South With Mawson; Dickson, Richard Hillary; Moody, Little Bitches; Wong, Fifth Chinese Daughter; Best, The Venlo Incident; Philpot, Stolen Journey; Waldron, The Frogmen; Gunther, Behind Europe's Curtain; Bryant, The Age of Elegance 1812-1822.

To Revise Kelowna Building By-Law

KELOWNA—City Council at a recent meeting, agreed that certain sections of the building by-law are out-of-date, but several amendments to present regulations are planned in the near future.

The matter was discussed when city fathers received a request from G. D. Loane, for the construction of a canopy on the building which is now being renovated at the corner of Pender and Bernard. The canopy on Bernard avenue would be 60 feet long and would run 20 feet long on Pender street.

The present by-law reads that a canopy cannot be more than 25 feet long and that there must be a four-foot break between sections. Council agreed this section is out-of-date. Building inspector A. E. Clark recommended the permit be granted.

Council agreed that a canopy adds to the attractiveness of a building and that construction methods have changed considerably from yesterday. Hence the necessity of changing the by-law.

New X-Ray Machine For Kelowna Hospital

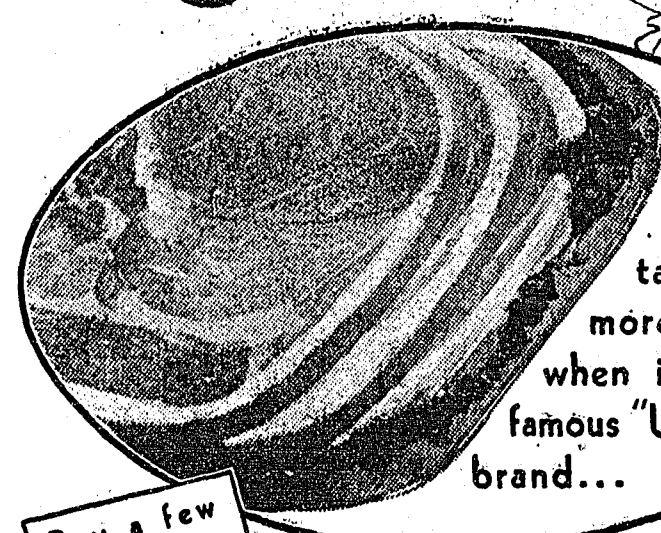
KELOWNA—A completely new X-ray machine, including several up-to-minute accessories, which will bring the X-ray department in the Kelowna General Hospital up to modern standards, has been installed by a party of special engineers from Winnipeg and Vancouver.

During the past year and a half, the X-ray department at the hospital has been under the direction of Dr. J. S. Hynes, who has had special training in radiology, and who confines his practice entirely to the diagnosis of disease and injury by X-ray examination.

LADIES' COCKTAIL LOUNGE
VERNON—Work commenced last week on the south west corner of the Legion Centre on a ladies' cocktail lounge. This addition to the building will cost between \$7,000 and \$8,000, and will be completed in about two months.

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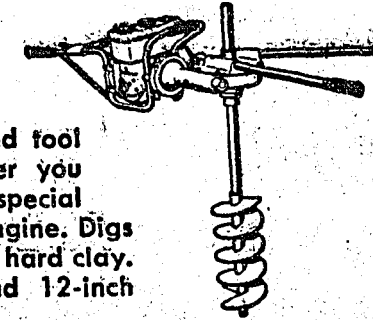
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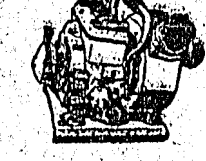
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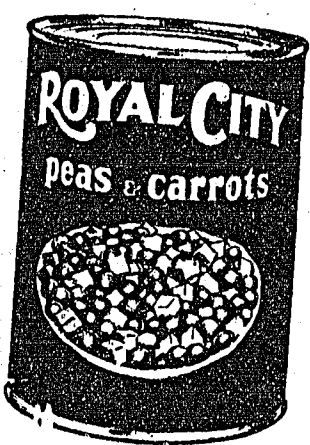


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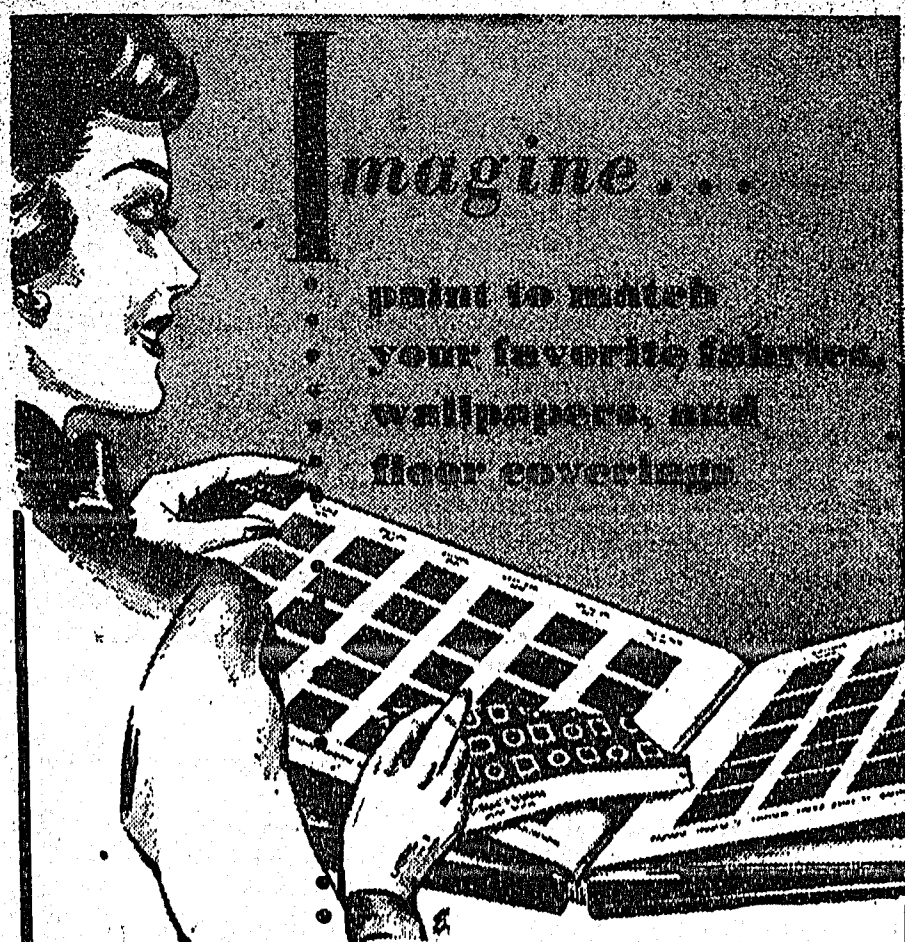
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Hon. L. H. Eyres Paints Bright Picture Of Province's Industrial Potential

Hon. Leslie H. Eyres, provincial minister of trade and industry, gave an optimistic picture of British Columbia's industrial potential, in a recent radio address.

Covering the province by areas the minister touched on the development already made in these areas and work now underway or projected to bring the potentialities into being.

Mr. Eyres commented on the gradual tendency of industry to move away from the cities of the lower mainland. He pointed out that this trend is in no way detrimental to this area, building up and sustaining as they do, the great industries on the seaboard.

These outlying communities can now point to better highways, better transportation facilities, more and cheaper electrical energy, adequate housing, in many cases ideal living conditions, and most important of all, abundant raw materials for manufacture close at hand.

He spoke of the completion of the Hope-Princeton highway and its effect of linking the Okanagan with Vancouver. The Hart Highway from Prince George to Dawson Creek, will give direct access through British Columbia to the Peace River District and the Alaska Highway. The Pacific Great Eastern Railway is going steadily forward to bring the immense resources of these northern areas into full being.

The minister outlined the development in the Prince Rupert area with the building of the Columbia Cellulose Company plant costing \$30,000,000, and its effect on the city of Prince Rupert and the district through the establishment of another large payroll, and the impact it will give to the development and expansion of that city's port and harbor facilities.

He mentioned the proposed aluminum industry and its far-reaching effects on the entire province. The growth of the pulp and paper industry in this province was covered briefly and the minister pointed out

the ideal conditions existing in British Columbia for the continued development of this industry.

Mr. Eyres spoke of the gradual change in the Fraser Valley, from an agricultural area to one in which many lighter industries such as plywood plants, kilns and brick and tile works are fast growing.

The Okanagan with its vast timber industry, also contributed to other lines of endeavor such as lumbering, boat and engineering works, manufacturing plants and canneries.

The minister spoke of the development of the Kootenays with their tremendous power resources as well as the mining, smelting and manufacturing facilities. He covered at some length the development of the terrific possibilities of the whole central region of British Columbia by the completion of the current highway and railway program of the provincial government. The cultivation of vast highly-productive lands—food industries, meat processing plants, timber and other forest products, as well as vastly increased settlement.

The potential of the Peace River area in mining, agricultural and lumbering were pointed out as well as the recreational and industrial opportunities of the Vancouver Island area. The minister listed the power potential of the various areas of the province and what it means in attracting new industries.

He stressed the use of British Columbia products by British Columbia people as an important factor in the continued development of the province's economy. "Everybody benefits from the visitor industry. Where it is possible to follow the visitor's dollar through all the intricate channels of trade, we would find that the \$50,000,000 which is so often quoted as the annual revenue from this industry fell far short of representing its real value to the province and people of British Columbia, and that \$75,000,000 would be by no means a fantastic estimate," said Mr. Eyres.

Vernon Board Of Trade's Request For Civic Grant Promised Consideration

VERNON—The cordial relationship existing between the Board of Trade and the City Council was amply demonstrated last week.

Appearing before the council were three officers of the board, President A. Berner, Past President C. J. McDowell, and Publicity Chairman Paul Brooker, who requested a two-part program of financial aid for the year's work.

Mr. Berner presented the 1951 budget which the board hopes will be completed by a civic grant of \$1,000. The 1950 allocation was \$1,250. "We have done a lot of unselfish work and we have saved the council a lot of headaches, and we therefore believe such a grant is well justified," he said. Mr. Berner also pointed to the rapid increase in membership fees, amounting to more than \$2,000 last year.

The council was quick to agree to the suggestion put forward by Mr. Brooker that a comprehensive booklet publicizing Vernon was urgently required, as an extraordinary expenditure. Last year the board paid for a tourist promotion folder, which has been well received, he said, but the need now is

for a booklet emphasizing industry. No definite figure of cost was submitted, but the project might run to \$2,500. Mr. Brooker said, and this outlay should be considered as an investment over perhaps five years. "We should like some assurance from the council of some help over and above the grant," he said.

For the council, Mayor T. R. B. Adams promised "the very best we can do. Just what that will be we cannot now say," he said, adding that expenditures considered desirable are running from \$35,000 to \$40,000 in excess of anticipated revenue.



Wood-Concrete Bridges Answer To Steel Shortage For Municipalities

New timber-concrete bridges eliminate the problem of steel shortage in bridge construction.

The B.C. Coast Woods Trade Extension Bureau, in collaboration with the provincial department of public works, have developed a new type concrete-timber bridge, which engineers claim is as durable as a steel structure.

FIRST OF TYPE

The first of these bridges to be installed in Canada spans the Serpentine river in the Fraser Valley near Langley, B.C., and was officially opened to vehicular traffic on Monday, February 5. Councilmen, mayors and municipal engineers from most points in the Fraser Valley were on hand to examine the new structure, which was regarded as being particularly significant in view of the Hon. E. C. Carson's recent statement that the Department of Public Works would soon be compelled to turn from steel to wood for bridge construction.

LITTLE STEEL

The new bridge is 100 feet long and 26 feet wide. All timber used in its construction is creosote-treated where necessary and the main deck of the bridge is made of steel reinforced concrete. Wooden parts of the bridge were prefabricated wherever possible. The only steel used in the construction of the bridge was for doweling and for concrete reinforcements. Engineers claim that the main advantages of this type of bridge construction are:

1—A minimum of steel is used. 2—Timbers required are almost always available locally. 3—The bridges can be constructed with unskilled labor. 4—The cost is 1/3 less than the comparable steel structure. 5—The bridges are permanent. 6—They can be erected rapidly. (This type of bridge was put up in 10 days.)

The consensus of opinion among the municipal officials present was, "This is the answer to our bridge problem."

While the new bridge is the only one of its exact type now in use in Canada, eliminating much of the metal formerly used, there are two bridges built on the same principle doing service in British Columbia at the moment. One is at Hague Crossing, near Hope, and the other one crosses the Nicomeki river. Both of these bridges have

7,500,000 Douglas Fir Seedlings To Be Planted

The annual reforestation program of the Provincial Forest Service will commence early in March. It was announced by the Honorable E. T. Kenney, minister of lands and forests.

During the six-to-eight-week planting season about 7,500,000 Douglas fir seedlings will be planted, bringing the total planted since 1930 up to 82,000,000 trees on almost 100,000 acres of burned-over and logged-over lands.

Of this total, private companies have planted about 15 percent.

The two-year-old seedlings are already being lifted at the three forest nurseries, located at Duncan, Campbell River and at Green Timbers on the Mainland.

Appreciation of the "get out the vote" campaign sponsored by the Jaycees in the recent elections was expressed by W. A. Loughheed at the regular meeting of the group last Thursday, at which Mr. Loughheed and his brother Evans were guests.

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